



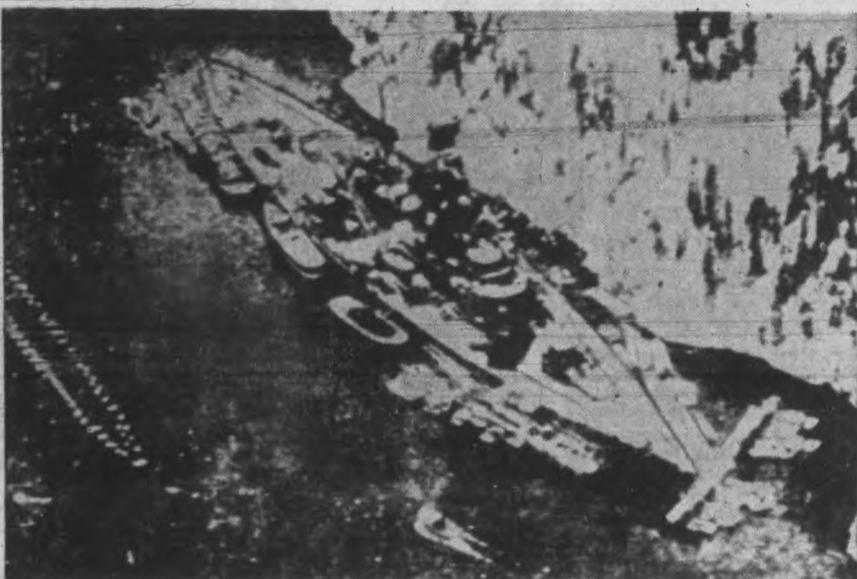
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GERMANY'S SUPER BATTLESHIP HIDES OUT FROM THE R.A.F.—Here's the picture published by London newspapers and radioed confirming stories that the Nazis' super battleship Tirpitz is still hiding out from Britain's scouring R.A.F. bombers and the Royal Navy. This aerial photo shows the Tirpitz beneath the overhanging protection of Aas Fjord cliffs near Trondheim, Norway, surrounded by floating camouflage and an anti-torpedo boat at left.

## Final Bulletins

### New Bataan Line Heavily Attacked

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. War Department reported late today that fresh Japanese troops, continuing their forward drive in Bataan with great vigor, have launched a heavy attack on the new line established by the American-Filipino forces Tuesday night after a general withdrawal.

He had been appearing in a baseball picture at the Samuel Goldwyn Studio.

### Hull Recovers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Cordell Hull has recovered from an illness which forced him to go south in February for a rest. He will resume the functions of his office soon. Acting Secretary Welles said this afternoon.

### More Aid for Russia

KUIBYSHEV (AP) — Admiral William H. Standley, new U.S. Ambassador to the Soviet Union, told a press conference today the U.S. is determined to give Russia aid second only to supplying the American fleet. By the end of April, he said, the U.S. should be up to schedule on its Russian-aid program.

### Airwoman Casualty

First airwoman of the R.C.A.F. (Women's Division) to appear in an official casualty list is Lillian Snyder, whose next of kin is given as her mother, Mrs. W. M. Laybourn, of Colquitz. Airwoman Snyder is listed as "seriously ill."

### Donate Spitfire

WITH THE R.C.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP) — "The Canadian Policeman," a twin cannon-firing Spitfire, was presented today to a Canadian fighter squadron commanded by Sqn. Ldr. C. N. S. Campbell, D.F.C., of the R.C.A.F., on behalf of the policemen of Canada and United States.

### Canadians Replacing R.A.F. Commanders

LONDON (CP) — Wing-Cmdr. Douglas A. R. Bradshaw of London, Ont., a veteran of more than six years in the R.C.A.F., today was appointed commanding officer of a new Canadian bombing squadron.

Simultaneously Flt-Lt. W. M. Connors of Winnipeg was appointed squadron adjutant. Both replace R.A.F. officers.

Sqn.-Ldr. Graham Campbell, R.A.F., a native of Consort, Alta., commands one flight of the new squadron.

### 1,100 Letters Weekly To Ayres at Camp

WYETH, Ore. (AP) — Lew Ayres, the film star who chose a conscientious objectors' camp here to army service, planned today to organize a first aid unit in addition to his routine camp duties.

He said his chief worry was ability to answer his mail, which has totaled 1,100 letters since his arrival a week ago today.

Ayres spent Tuesday with other camp personnel in learning forest firefighting methods under a forest service instructor.

### Hindus Ponder British Offer Called Final

LONDON (CP) — Word from New Delhi that leaders of the All-India Congress Party are considering new proposals for a national government and a revised formula for India's defense was met here today by diplomatic quarters with the statement that "Britain's last offer is final."

The London informants said the British war cabinet still was determined to retain primary responsibility for defense of India because it was inseparable from the defense of Burma and Ceylon, co-siters of the Indian Ocean, the disposition of British forces in the whole Far East and Middle East and liaison with Chongking.

Dispatches from India said Mohammed Ali Jinnah, president of the All-India Moslem League, had been misunderstood when he was quoted as saying Britain would relinquish the Indian defense ministry post to an Indian.

Despite this, there appeared grounds for belief that Britain in fact had offered to turn over to the Indians a substantial share in the organization of their country's defense.

#### CO-ORDINATION

The political correspondent of the London Evening News wrote that Britain had offered the Indians "a position of high importance in relation to defense matters—it would amount to coordination in India of all relations between regular forces and civil defense and general administration of the country, leaving control of operations strictly in the hands of the commander-in-chief."

#### JOHNSON TAKES PART

NEW DELHI (AP) — A new formula for handling Indian defense was reported worked out today at an All-India Congress Party committee session and semi-official sources declared the way might yet be cleared for a settlement under which India would attain a national government and take up her full part in the war.

It was intimated that Louis Johnson, who came here as President Roosevelt's personal representative, had played a prominent part as mediator in averting a deadlock on Britain's offer to the Indians.

The new plan for dealing with responsibility for defense, heretofore a stumbling block in the way of Congress Party acceptance of the autonomy proposal, was said to have developed at a morning session of the party's working committee.

#### DISCUSSED BY LEADERS

The plan was said to have been turned over to party leaders, and the committee continued in session.

Earlier a deadlock had threatened to wreck Sir Stafford Cripps' mission to India as Britain's amended offer to appoint an Indian as the country's defense minister fell short of Nationalist demands.

Only two possibilities, apparently, remained to give the negotiations for post-war Indian Dominion status a new lease on life—that the eagerness on both sides for an agreement might produce satisfactory terms or that United States' influence might be brought to bear on the involved situation.

### Says Plebiscite Faked

VICHY (AP) — Baron de Bourrat, deposed governor of the French islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, charged today the December plebiscite conducted by the occupying force of Vice-Admiral Emile Muselier was "faked" and that less than a third of the inhabitants voted for the Free French. De Bourrat has just arrived in Vichy.

### Star Sues Globe

TORONTO (CP) — Mr. Justice Keiller McKay of the Ontario High Court and a special 12-man jury today began hearing at Toronto City Hall the \$100,000 libel action brought by the Toronto Star Limited, publisher of the Toronto Daily Star, against the Globe Printing Co., publisher of the Globe and Mail.

### Malahat Surfacing Soon Under Way

As soon as surfacing of the Malahat's new stretch is completed about the end of the month the highway will be opened to traffic, Hon. R. W. Bruhn, Minister of Public Works, said today.

"We are going ahead as fast as we can and are now calling for tenders for the surfacing," the minister said.

"After the road is open we will continue on another new section, but this will not interfere with traffic as it is about a mile back from the present highway."

### Sun Trial, April 15

VANCOUVER (CP) — Magistrate H. S. Wood today adjourned to April 15 the case of the Sun Publishing Company Ltd., which faces six charges under the Defense of Canada Regulations in connection with a series of three articles published in the Vancouver Sun March 13, 14 and 16 dealing with Pacific coast defenses.

The adjournment was granted at the request of Crown counsel.

# New Nazi Drive on Suez Seen

### Commando School Here

## B.C. Guerrillas To Form 150 Units

Nearly 50 units of auxiliary guerrilla troops are now in process of organization along the Pacific coast, many of them on this island, it was said today by Major T. A. H. Taylor, officer in charge of the Auxiliary Defence Corps, M.D. 11.

Major Taylor spoke in comment on a dispatch from Ottawa reporting a press conference at which Defence Minister J. L. Ralston made the first official announcement of the guerrilla formations here.

Units of the Auxiliary Defence Corps have already been formed at Victoria under the name of the South Vancouver Island Rangers, others being organized at Comox, Courtenay and Saanich. In all, it was announced, 150 units may eventually be formed along the whole Pacific coast of B.C.

Major Taylor, working directly under Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, D.S.O., commander-in-chief west coast defence, has been assigned the duty of organizing the units here and is assisted by three other officers.

While there had been statements that such guerrilla tactics would be utilized in the defence set-up of the Dominion, Col. Ralston's announcement was the first definite indication of the scope of these plans.

### Commando School To Be Established

The minister said he had conferred with United States defence authorities at Prince Rupert, B.C. A heavy program had to be undertaken to provide accommodation for units on the coast since the defences would be constantly increasing.

The battle training school to give training in guerrilla and commando warfare which is being organized by the National Defence Department will be established somewhere "in the west," Mr. Ralston said.

The school will train officers and instructors who will go back to their own units with experience in commando and guerrilla tactics, the minister told a press conference.

"Its purpose will be the toughening of men to perform whatever task may be required of them," Col. Ralston said.

Lt.-Col. Fred Scott, Calgary Highlander officer who was in charge of the divisional battle training school in the United Kingdom, now is in charge of the senior officer school at Kingston, Ont., and his advice will be available in the establishment of the western training school.

### Fighters Valuable In Any Area

"The men who have gone through training in guerrilla and commando tactics will be handy anywhere," Col. Ralston said.

They will receive the preliminary training for paratroop work as well. Col. Ralston said such paratroop training takes the form of hardening men for difficult duty.

It was expected the Canadian commando training would follow the same general lines of that in the United Kingdom, with the men given experience in finding their way through difficult country and making the best of short rations. The United Kingdom commandos are even given training in the hunting and cooking of game and the lighting of fires in such a way that little smoke is seen.

It was considered possible that National Defence authorities would decide that the mountain country of Alberta or British Columbia would provide good territory for training troops in commando and guerrilla tactics.

### Field Supervisors To Aid Organizer

Giving further detail about the western coast development the minister said Major Taylor is selecting six field supervisors to assist in organizing the units. These men are being chosen with regard to their military experience and their knowledge of the bush.

The minister said it is not proposed to provide instruction for the units. It was presumed the men in them knew all they need to know about the kind of fighting they might be called upon to engage in as "local reception committees" for the Japanese.

### Cashier Held Up Near Arms Plant

TORONTO (CP) — Two armed men held up the cashier of a cafeteria outside the John Inglis plant in west-end Toronto this afternoon and escaped in a taxi cab after forcing the driver out in a car.

The bandits got \$525 from the cashier of the cafeteria, operated by the Canadian Institute for the Blind in the Inglis plant. First reports said the hold-up was carried out in the plant itself and that a payroll had been stolen.

The park is about two miles west of the scene of the hold-up.

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### Mass Men, Tanks In Libya Desert; 3 Columns Move

CAIRO (AP) — In the first official announcement of the new Axis drive in North Africa, a special communiqué tonight said two or three enemy columns had begun operations in the Libyan desert.

### Attacking Forces Estimated at 125,000

By DREW MIDDLETON

LONDON (AP) — Axis forces numbering 125,000 troops were reported in motion across the Libyan desert today against British lines in what may be the opening of spring drive to conquer Egypt and smash through east of Suez towards Russia's southern flank.

The action—not yet told in detail—came as the German air force lashed with rising fury at Malta and Alexandria with fire and explosives.

The tiny island fortress and Egypt's chief port and base of the British Mediterranean fleet—keys to Britain's dominance of the Mediterranean—each reported the worst raids of the war as Axis bombers set the stage for the first great land campaign of 1942.

### Rommel Commands 9 Divisions

At present Marshal Erwin Rommel commands two German armored divisions, one Italian armored division and six infantry divisions in the desert.

Thirty squadrons of all types of aircraft and believed by informed quarters here to provide air support for the Axis offensive.

Both the German and Italian communiques claimed British advance forces had been pushed back in the new surge of desert fighting. Neither communiqué went into detail. The Germans identified the scene of the action only as "southeast of El Mechili."

A military informant in London said cautiously: "There is some increased activity in Libya which we may hear more about."

The vanguard of the Axis army in the desert is three columns paced by about 100 tanks, British informants said.

This is the first hint of large-scale action since the Germans recaptured Bengazi late in January and forced the British to withdraw more than 200 miles.

R.A.F. headquarters at Cairo announced that British bombers and fighters blasted Axis concentrations deep behind the front Tuesday in Cyrenaica. At Alexandria, R.A.F. defenders downed two Axis raiders Tuesday night.

If the desert action is the beginning of a grand Axis offensive, it is expected here that Axis invasion troops assembled in Crete, Greece and the Dodecanese Islands may be used for flank attacks on Alexandria and Cairo by sea and air.

### Malta Confirmed As 'Most-bombed'

VALETTA (CP) — Massed German bombers pounding in round-the-clock relays gave this bomb-shaken British island stronghold its heaviest air attack of the war Tuesday and touched off the 2,000th air raid alarm in Malta since Italy entered the conflict.

Four German planes were destroyed—two Junkers dive-bombers and two escorting Messerschmitt fighters. Another Junkers dive-bomber was probably destroyed and two planes were damaged in the hours of intense raiding.

Preliminary reports indicated the casualties were "not heavy considering the scale of the bombing," an official said.

### 52 Killed, 80 Hurt

In Alexandria Raid

ALEXANDRIA (AP) — This Mediterranean naval port was bombed again early today after its worst air attack of the year Tuesday when 52 persons were killed and 80 injured.

The follow-up assault was light, however, the government said, with only a few bombs dropped, no casualties and only insignificant damage.

## U. S. Chief of Staff, H. L. Hopkins in London

LONDON (CP) — Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff of the United States army, and Harry L. Hopkins, chairman of the British-American Munitions Assignments Boards, arrived in London today.

London observers on hearing the news the U.S. chief of staff was here predicted high strategy talks would be on his agenda. It was assumed Mr. Hopkins would take part in these as one of President Roosevelt's closest advisers.

### TO SEE GEN. BROOKE

This will be the first meeting between Gen. Marshall and Britain's chief of staff, Gen. Sir Alan Brooke.

The possibility naval strategy may figure high in the London discussions was noted by some observers. Admiral Harold Stark is due here soon to replace Vice-Admiral Robert Ghormly as chief of U.S. naval operations in European waters.

### FORCES INCREASING

The purpose of United States forces in Europe is to "expand," Gen. Marshall said.

Hopkins, who is lend-lease expediter, seconded the general's thought, saying production alone is not going to win the war but that "soldiers under Gen. Marshall and sailors under Admiral King" would be the deciding factor.

Admiral Ernest J. King, to whom Hopkins referred, is chief of all American naval operations.

Discussing his mission, Hopkins added that President Roosevelt had entrusted him with some confidential matters on which to confer with Mr. Churchill.

The arrival of Gen. Marshall comes on the heels of reports circulated in London that the bulk of the United States array is training for a mass invasion of the continent.

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## Strathcona Park Logging Protested by Californian

Logging operations about to commence in the Campbell River area, as far as the Strathcona Park boundary line on Buttle Lake, have aroused the ire of Will J. Reid, president of the Hancock Oil Company of California.

"For many years I have spent my vacation with my family and our closest friends on Vancouver Island," Mr. Reid says in a letter to the Victoria Times. "For the last eight years we have spent it at Buttle Lake in Strathcona Park."

The portage through Upper Campbell Lake, the nine-mile pack-trip over the trail to Buttle and the trip up Buttle Lake to our summer camp is through an area almost without equal for natural beauty anywhere on the continent. It is the only unmarred area that we have been able to find on the island."

Mr. Reid writes, "It makes me shudder to think what this area will look like when the loggers have finished. Total timber available is not great. From a logger's standpoint the banks of the river at the lowest end of the lake contain a very poor stand of good timber. Left alone it is a priceless asset."

"Vancouver Island," Mr. Reid says, "may well become the vacation land of a large percentage of the people of our western states. Short-sighted officials in our country have allowed almost all of our timber areas to be decimated. I hope that the men in power in your country will not be so foolish."

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## Curtin, MacArthur Plan Moves In Australia

MELBOURNE (CP) — Australia's War Council set the stage today for important decisions at a meeting preceded by a two-hour conference of Prime Minister John Curtin with Gen. Douglas MacArthur and his chief aides.

The decisions are expected to be taken at a war cabinet session tomorrow.

Enlargement of the scope of the Allied Supply Council to permit control of shipping, transport and medical equipment in addition to fulfilling its original function of maintenance of supplies and equipment will be discussed.

The conferees with Mr. Curtin were MacArthur, commander of United Nations forces in the southwest Pacific; Gen. Sir Thomas Blamey, commander of Allied ground forces; Lt.-Gen. George H. Brett, deputy commander and air chief, and Vice-Admiral Herbert F. Leary, the naval commander.

### JAP PLANES WRECKED

In the air smash Tuesday at Lae, Japanese-held New Guinea, a communiqué issued by Mr. Curtin said Australian and American fliers scored direct hits on five or six enemy fighters on the ground and also hit Japanese bombers on the landing field.

The United Nations' fighter encountered no Japanese air opposition, but a lone enemy zero fighter rose to challenge the bomber squadron and was shot down in a concentrated salvo from their guns, the communiqué said.

Australian planes reached and bombed the target area over Kupang, on Netherlands Timor, despite three interceptions by enemy fighters, it added. One plane is missing from the two operations.

### NEW JAP LANDING

SYDNEY (CP)—The Japanese have landed a small occupation force at Lorengau, on Manus Island, one of the largest of the Admiralty group above New Guinea, dispatches from New Guinea reported today.

"If we tied up all the beautiful land on Vancouver Island we would have no cities, no industry, nothing but beautiful land," he said.

### MOVE ANTICIPATED

It had been anticipated the Japanese would occupy Manus, which lies on the main Japanese supply route to Rabaul, New Britain. The present Japanese plan, it was believed here, may be to protect Rabaul, which is assuming ever-greater importance in the entire Pacific war, through seizure of outposts for sea and air reconnaissance.

At Lorengau, the airdrome, with everything else which might have been useful to the invader, was reported destroyed before its capture.

An Exchange Telegraph report said the occupation of Lorengau suggested the Japanese were building up a chain of warning stations, probably anticipating extension of the Allied offensive in the Pacific.

### PHONE SERVICES UNDER PRIORITY

OTTAWA (CP) — The wartime Prices and Trade Board announced Tuesday night telephone services in Canada have been placed under priority ratings to ensure maintenance of essential communications.

The board issued an order, effective immediately, placing control and regulation of telephone services under services administrator James Stewart.

The announcement said "every supplier of telephone service" is required by the order "so to regulate the assignment of plant, equipment and facilities as to provide necessary service in the following order of priority:

"(1) Essential requirements of the armed services, producers of munitions and supplies of war and defence projects and of governmental and other services and agencies related to the war program or to the defence of Canada;

"(2) Requirements essential for the welfare of civil life in the community and the protection of public health and safety.

"(3) Other essential commercial and industrial requirements;

"(4) Other requirements."

Other resolutions called on teachers to vote "yes" in the manpower plebiscite and urged immediate formulation of plans for the evacuation of children in the event of imminent enemy attack on the Pacific coast.

### MEMBERSHIP

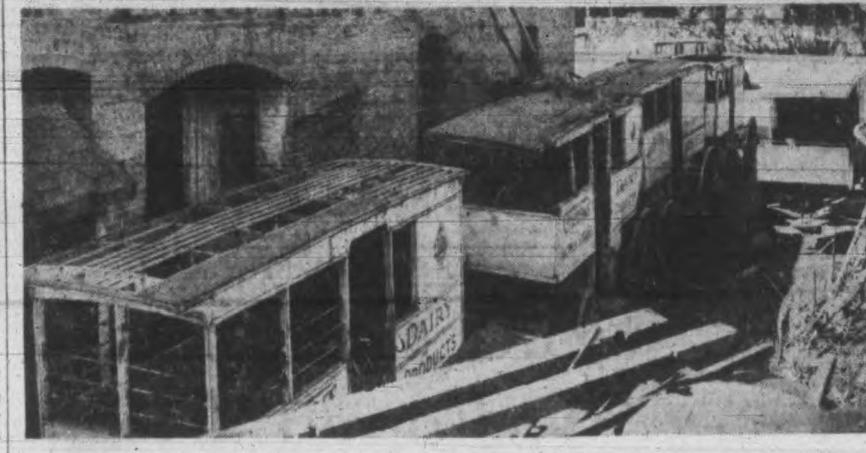
A committee set up at the 1941 convention to study the question of automatic membership in the federation for all teachers in the province was authorized to continue its study. The convention voted itself in favor of amendments to the School Act, which would be needed to make this possible.

The belief was expressed by Harry Charlesworth, general secretary of the federation, that a permanent provincial arbitration board for teachers' salaries would be established in British Columbia, following passage of a resolution urging the federation work toward establishment of such a board.

H. L. Buckley, chairman of the provincial salary committee, declared the rapid rise in the cost of living had made the salary situation very acute this year.

Other resolutions promised the full assistance of the federation to teachers throughout the province in salary negotiations with their school boards, continued efforts toward raising the element

## Veterans Recalled to Service



Unlike the "Wonderful One-hoss Shay," which had no reclamation value, these old Vancouver milk wagons provide substantial frames for reconstruction as dairymen here make preparations for a return to old-time delivery systems. Pictured above are some of the wagons acquired by the Registered Jersey Dairies and sent to M. R. Todd of Todd and McDonald, blacksmiths, at 723 Cormorant Street, for reconditioning. "They need new tops and repairs to the sides, but they're not in hopeless shape," the blacksmith said today. He expects to be reasonably busy as the city returns in part to horse-and-buggy days through tire and gasoline rationing, but he is not looking forward to a boom, even though there is talk of certain bakeries reverting to horse and wagon. First reconditioned wagons are expected to be on the streets by the first of next month.

### New Defence Line Held in Bataan

WASHINGTON (AP)—A general withdrawal of the American-Filipino forces in Bataan to new defensive positions because of Japanese penetration of their line was announced today by the United States War Department.

The troops, under Lieut.-Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright, withdrew Tuesday night to "a previously prepared defensive position," the communiqué said, in order to rectify the penetrated line.

Officials said there was no immediate indication of the extent of the withdrawal, but it apparently was accomplished in orderly fashion. The Japanese had prepared a new line before the concentrated assaults of the enemy.

A break-through on the line has been expected by officials here since the major assault started five days ago, and apparently Gen. Wainwright had prepared a new line before the concentrated assaults of the enemy could convert the break into a disastrous rout.

The communiqué also confirmed previous dispatches from Vyazma reporting that seven American heavy bombers carried out a successful raid April 3 on the harbor of Rangoon, Burma, damaging docks and port facilities and starting three large fires.

### Le Droit Apologizes

OTTAWA (CP) — Magistrate Glenn Strike today reserved judgment until April 15 on four charges under the Defence of Canada Regulations against the Ottawa French-language newspaper Le Droit.

The charges were ordered laid by Justice Minister St. Laurent following publication in Le Droit of a news item dealing with British air raids on Renault industries in the Paris suburbs and an article in the column "Day By Day" in which raids on unoccupied France were discussed.

J. Genest, as defence counsel, today entered pleas of innocence to the charges.

Evidence consisted entirely of the filing of copies of the newspaper. Crown Attorney Raoul Mercier presented as exhibits copies of the editions for March 4 and March 9, in which the articles on which the charges were laid appeared.

### REGRET EXPRESSED

Mr. Genest placed before the court a copy of Le Droit's March 19 edition in which appeared a statement of the publishers expressing regret for publication of the references to the Renault bombing and stating the opinions expressed were not those of the publishers.

As evidence of the general character of the paper Mr. Genest filed copies of Le Droit for the entire month of February with a number of articles dealing with Canada's war effort marked.

"The publishers regret that these articles (on which the four charges were based) were published and have taken steps to see that no such articles appear again," Mr. Genest said in his argument. "It is obvious that the Allies must do all in their power to destroy plants which are making articles for the enemy."

"Few people realize what a great burden is placed on newspapers in wartime," he continued. "More than most institutions they

### Reds Cross Dneiper

## Trap Nazi Tanks; Wipe Out Salient

Associated Press

Soviet forces have smashed across the upper Dnieper River in a furious final drive to pin off the Vyazma-Gzhatsk-Rzhev bulge toward Moscow, Soviet dispatches relayed by Stockholm said today.

This crossing, between Dorogobuzh and Durovo, was a striking achievement, these dispatches said, since the Germans had established vast fortifications along the river.

The Red army appeared intent on utilizing the brief period remaining before the spring thaw to crush Nazi armies on the central front and to prepare to meet a later German offensive from the direction of Smolensk, which is 50 miles west of the point where the Dnieper was reported crossed.

The German corridor of escape from Vyazma to Smolensk now has been narrowed to 30 miles with Soviet guns raking the main highway and rail routes, Stockholm informants said. In addition, the Russians were reported threatening Durovo, vital rail

junction, about midway between Smolensk and Vyazma, from its southern and southwestern suburbs.

### Nazi Tank Force Trapped By Guns

From Moscow it was reported by radio today the Germans attacked Soviet positions in the Crimea with 100 tanks, but were trapped by furious Russian artillery fire and eventually turned back.

After several hours of vain attempts to break through the barrage, the German tanks still in operation retreated, leaving 32 machines and hundreds of dead on the battlefield, the radio said.

It was not announced whether the action was in the Sebastopol (western) or Kerch (eastern) area of the Crimea, where the Russians maintain their foot-

The Soviet Information Bureau's mid-day communiqué repeated its familiar "no significant changes occurred at the front," but told of past operations in which 1,675 Germans were killed or wounded on various sectors of the long battle-front.

### 1,125 Nazis Slain In Day's Fighting

In one day's fighting alone to the northwest of Moscow, it said, the enemy lost 1,125 soldiers and officers in dead and wounded; 300 were killed in a day's fighting on a sector of the Kalinin front, also northwest of Moscow; and 250 were killed on the southwestern front in the recapture of a strongly-fortified populated place.

Newspaper space was highly valuable and costly, yet every government department and patriotic organization expected its use without charge. Newspapers in Ottawa and throughout the country had cheerfully borne this obligation and Le Droit had done its share generously. Mr. Genest said, referring to assistance given in recruiting for Le Regiment de Hull and in supporting Victory Loan campaigns.

Newspapers make mistakes, but newspapermen live an intense life and are asked to give judgment quickly on problems that baffle experts," he said.

The article in the column "Day by Day" dealing with the Renault bombing was a "sentimental splash and ill-timed," he suggested. Some of the statements in the article were sarcastic comments on the general strategy of the war.

There was no intention on the part of the newspaper to hinder Canada's war effort and the articles were not likely to hinder recruiting or affect discipline, he told the court.

### SUGGESTION

Crown Attorney Mercier agreed that in its general policy Le Droit was loyal, but he said the general policy had no connection with the particular article complained of.

The articles, he said, "suggest something vicious . . . They suggest our arms and air force were used for an evil purpose" and were prejudicial to recruiting and the administration and discipline of the forces.

If articles of the type complained of were allowed to continue they would "create more than uneasiness" among Canadians, and particularly among French-speaking Canadians, Mr. Mercier said.

"Any article that tends to national friction, or any article that does not tend to national unity should be looked on as seditious," he added.

"Few people realize what a great burden is placed on newspapers in wartime," he continued. "More than most institutions they



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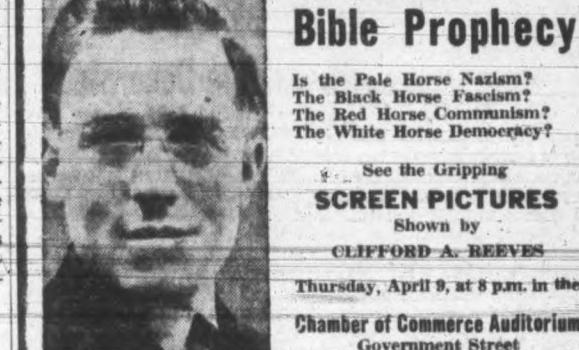
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**Anti-conscription Speech New Wartime Stamps For Canadians**

CHATEAUGUAY, Que. (CP) — Maxime Raymond, Liberal, M.P. for Beauharnois-Laprairie, said in an address here a "yes" vote in the Dominion plebiscite April 27 would give "not only the present government, but any government which might succeed it, the power to send our husbands and friends to fight overseas."

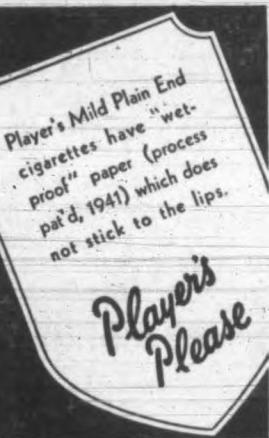
Mr. Raymond spoke at a meeting organized by the Ligue pour la Défense du Canada (League for the Defence of Canada). Mr. Raymond said he believed the word "conscription" had been left out of the plebiscite deliberately "to obtain a maximum yes vote."

**'Homebrew' Celebration**

NANAIMO (CP) — Noah Thomas told an assize court jury, Tuesday, of a "homebrew" celebration at his Indian village home at Refuge Cove last Dominion Day when the wife of Hippolite Thomas, west coast Indian, was killed.

Noah was testifying at the trial of Hippolite, accused of his wife's murder. Noah and Hippolite are not stick to the lips.

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**Plebiscite Address**

## Mr. King Says 'Yes' Vote Needed For Defence of Canada

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The non-conscription pledge had been given at a time when Canadians were remembering the way conscription was introduced and applied in the First Great War and the resentment it aroused. It had "little or no military value" in the First Great War.

Speaking over a national network of the CBC in the campaign for an affirmative result in the April 27 manpower plebiscite, Mr. King said a great offensive to cut the Atlantic and Pacific supply lines might be launched at any moment.

If such an attempt were successful the war would ultimately come to North American soil.

Defence of Canada was essential but it was equally essential that Canada, a country which might need help as no other country ever needed it, must continue to do all it could to help other countries.

At the start of the present conflict many looked on it as just another "European war" and few thought Canada might become the most coveted of all the prizes of war.

"That, however, is the situation today," Mr. King said.

"The pledge not to impose conscription for service overseas was given in order to maintain the unity of Canada. Without this assurance I do not believe Parliament would have given as it did, prompt and wholehearted approval to Canada's entry into the war."

National unity was "more essential to success of the war effort of any country than most other factors combined."

While the pledge had been necessary at the outset to maintain unity, its restrictive influence now had become "matter of controversy and a threat to unity."

He is a captain in the R.A.F. ferry command and has just flown a big ship across the Pacific for Australia's defence and offence against Japan.

We had three tons of airplane fuel set down on the water at 120 miles an hour and she'd probably go down in a hurry.

I went back to where Mac was lying on his belly, sweating and working to repair the radio and finally we got it ticking and got through to a certain station in the Hawaiian Islands.

"The station wouldn't give us a position because our signals were so weak they might have told us wrong. They instructed us to change our course, flying an hour and try to contact them again.

"In the meantime, day went, darkness came and the gas gauge clicked lower. After an hour we contacted them again and they advised us to fly another course one hour more when we would hit land—if the gas held out.

Part of Canada's forces should be kept at home and part should aid Canada's defence overseas, Mr. King said.

The Canadian people would not hesitate to adopt any measure needed to preserve their national heritage. They had the right to know what steps were necessary and this was especially true of any step which had been a source of disunity in the past.

Mr. King said he had talked of unity and the preservation of unity.

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To a nation, there is one thing more important—that is the preservation of its existence."

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try—and assuredly not Canada—can consider itself secure.

"The last thing I have been, or would wish to be, is an alarmist."

"I would, however, not be true to the trust the people of Canada have reposed in me if I did not say that I believe the situation, for all free nations, is far more critical today than it has ever been."

Mr. King reviewed the war's development to date.

"It becomes increasingly clear that both Germany and Japan are putting forth a supreme effort to achieve world mastery in 1942," he said.

Oil industry sources said it was probable the supply for filling stations would have to be cut to 33 1/3 per cent below normal, and that the new cut would be effective within a week.



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**Wartime Assistants Needed in Ottawa**

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OTTAWA (CP)—The Civil Service Commission is appealing for "wartime assistants"—university students and graduates—to fill junior administrative and technical positions at salaries starting from a "floor" of \$115 a month. Applications must be filed by June 30 and will be reviewed and grouped according to specialization, academic standing and experience.

But the commission said in a statement, men of military age 18 to 45 will not be eligible if physically fit for army service.

The fort public relations office said knowledge of military life acquired during civilian service unless they are hundreds of negro officers at Fort Devens made it possible for the youth to evade detection for almost a month.

**Negro Posed As U.S. Officer**

BOSTON (AP)—Attired in the uniform of a United States army officer, Felton Harris spent 23 days at Fort Devens, eating and sleeping there.

But today the 18-year-old negro, a truck driver, faced a charge of wearing the uniform unlawfully.

Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation testified that Felton, dressed as a second lieutenant, walked into the army post and was received as an officer.

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**Rosettes for Reservists**

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto military officials are taking up with Ottawa a plan to have members of reserve units wear rosettes or ribbons on civilian clothes, identifying them as unit members, it was reported here.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1942

**Vote 'Yes' On April 27**

MR. MACKENZIE KING HAS NOW FOR-  
mally urged the Canadian people to get  
out and vote for the plebiscite which is de-  
signed to relieve his government from previous  
commitments restricting the methods of raising  
men for military service. While the sentiments to which he gave expression over the radio last night were neither new nor novel—the fact that he is following the traditional democratic custom of consulting the electorate furnishes its own commentary—the Prime Minister quite properly drew a contrast between his concept of responsive and responsible government and that system which regards the discharge of a moral obligation as a secondary consideration in political and public life. Granting his desire for an overwhelmingly affirmative decision on April 27 should be a foregone conclusion.

But it is because there may be a tendency on the part of many voters to take the approval of the plebiscite for granted that Mr. King and his ministers should press home their arguments between now and voting day with the utmost vigor. Not only is this necessary for the purpose of preserving and strengthening national unity in this time of unparalleled crisis and danger; it is also essential to insure convincing endorsement of the appeal to correct some misunderstandings which have manifested themselves in those countries that are unfamiliar with the Canadian scene and many of the problems with which the Dominion is faced. Nor should the issue be left solely to the Prime Minister and cabinet spokesmen. It is the duty of every elector to consider himself and herself a committee of one to share the task of emphasizing the importance of granting the request. This is not a political question and should not be regarded as such. The leaders of the two major parties gave the Canadian people the same pledge during the election campaign more than two years ago. It was a clear understanding by Mr. King and Dr. Manion that conscription was not an issue in that appeal to the people. The present Parliament was elected on that specific and unequivocal agreement.

For this reason if for no other, and apart altogether from individual views on the principles involved, friends and critics of the government alike should find little difficulty in subjugating extraneous arguments to the main purpose of the plebiscite. There is nothing ambiguous in the request which the Prime Minister has addressed to the Canadian people. Conscription is not the issue. It is a simple appeal to the electors for a new instruction, which, if given, will clothe the government with full authority to adopt such policies as it may deem desirable and necessary for the conduct of the Dominion's share of the conflict in the light of unpredictable events. Canadians who have demanded total war—and that means the vast majority of the people of this country—will not be true to themselves or acting in the best interests of the nation if they vote other than affirmatively on April 27.

**Respite From Special Weeks**

THE PORTLAND OREGONIAN SUG-  
gests the abolition for the duration of  
the war of all those special weeks which  
for some years past have cluttered the  
calendar of civic duty. Perhaps, it says,  
these were all right as indulgences of peace-  
time, but now they are likely to get under-  
foot and impede the procession.

It is a timely suggestion because weeks  
for the stimulation of interest in this or in  
that no longer may be argued as essential  
for the simple reason that our only essential  
interest now is in our war effort. Special  
weeks for this and that belonged to less  
urgent times. We cannot afford them now.

**Notes**  
They say history repeats itself, but we  
do not remember all this.

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garden tools and start to raise blisters.

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London, Ont., Free Press, "is to get off a  
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**GERMAN LOSSES**

From Ottawa Journal  
Official Berlin circles are reported to  
have acknowledged losses of 1,500,000 German  
soldiers in the Russian campaign, the  
figure including killed, wounded and missing.  
If allowance be made for German conceal-  
ment, and account be taken of Hitler's losses  
in Poland, France, Yugoslavia, Greece,  
Crete and Libya, it seems a safe estimate  
that Germany's losses reach 2,000,000 men,  
if they don't exceed that.

But while this is a staggering loss, none  
of us need be misled by it. In May, 1939,  
an industrial and occupational census  
showed that Germany had 18,000,000 men  
between the ages of 18 and 45; has prob-  
ably 20,000,000 now between the ages of 18  
and 48. Therefore, if we deduct 8,000,000  
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Now comes the Evening Standard's  
charge that the political truce has produced  
too many "ersatz M.P.'s"—men who would  
have a valuable function to perform in a  
Fascist Grand Council where suitable and  
spontaneous cheers are required." But the  
Beaverbrook journal evidently sees danger  
in the preservation of a wartime custom

which sends some men to Parliament who are "so overcome by the hurly-burly of their uncontested elections that they are scarcely ever heard from coherently again," suggesting, and not without point, that "something more articulate is needed from the men whose duty it is to uphold Parliament as the chief bulwark of British freedom." The editorial in which these sentiments are expressed takes on more than usual significance, incidentally, because it follows the publication of a eulogistic letter from the Prime Minister to Sir James Grigg, the new Secretary of State for War, who is contesting the East Cardiff seat as "non-party candidate." And in that communication Mr. Churchill expressed the belief that "to play party politics at such a time would be to strike a blow at national unity."

While a controversy of this kind is something in which Canada has little more than an academic interest, we can sympathize with Britain's Prime Minister in the difficulties which beset him in the herculean task that confronts him, both within the political structure which he dominates and in the widest realm of global war. How much criticism he could have spared himself by an earlier and more drastic reorganization of his cabinet is purely speculative. Of Mr. Churchill's personal popularity there can be no doubt; nor is it pleasant to contemplate what might have happened had he not been called upon to form a government on that tragic day in May nearly two years ago. He is still Britain's incomparable leader—even though Parliament may have acquired some "ersatz M.P.'s."

**'Leaner' Economy**

OUR NEIGHBOR'S WAR PRODUCTION head, Mr. Donald Nelson, issued a statement in Washington yesterday morning warning the people of the United States that the production of most consumer durable goods will be discontinued by May 31. He added that the drive to curtail civilian industries and convert them into essential war production would reach the high point of the general program within a few days with the issuance of orders halting most private building construction and prohibiting the use of iron and steel in hundreds of items. In other words, the American way of life is headed, to quote Mr. Nelson, for a "sound but lean, civilian economy" that will "get leaner and leaner as the war program goes on . . . this is the way of total all-out war and the price of early victory."

Whether the United States has moved too quickly or too slowly in this matter of converting the nation's peacetime productive capacity to meet the requirements of a global war in all its ramifications is a matter which Mr. Nelson proposes to leave to the verdict of history. Well enough he might. But if changing the face of America "industry in its entirety—not merely giving it a gentle "lift"—is essential to the great Republic's contribution to the defeat of the Axis powers, his record to date as war production chief suggests he will stop at nothing to achieve his objective. And if the other Donald, Canada's Donald Gordon, meant what he said in Toronto the other day about those in this country who have been, and still are, on a buying spree, any remaining "fat" on our civilian economy will soon be pared off. As head of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board he possesses authority somewhat similar in scope to that vested in Mr. Nelson in his capacity.

Down in Halifax yesterday, incidentally, Minister of Labor Hon. Humphrey Mitchell—who is also charged with administering the Dominion's selective service program—remarked at a service club luncheon: "I think it is fair to say that all parties have asked for total war effort. You have asked for it and you are going to get it." So we have been told before. The Prime Minister and several of his colleagues have said the same thing—more than once. All right; let us have it. Let us have a few samples of the "leaner and leaner" economy which Mr. Nelson has just promised his compatriots in the United States. Fewer speeches and more action is what this country needs and needs urgently. No amount of pleasant cajolery is of any avail now.

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**Bruce Hutchison****THE YOUNG**

DURING THE EASTER holidays I had an opportunity to confer at length with a young person who is about to matriculate from one of our best British Columbia high schools. Such a person is very important, far more important than you or I. She represents the average educational product of our schools, since only a minor fraction of our children ever reach university. She represents the latest ideas of the young which will shortly control the world. She and her similar millions will soon be our masters. Also, after all her studies and she is a particularly brilliant student—she is terrifying in her ignorance of the world which she is about to run.

If democracy is going to survive in the world—and there is no certain guarantee of that—it will survive only by the intelligence and knowledge of the ordinary citizen. Democracy has broken down, the democracies have staggered from one blunder to another and finally into a war without preparation, not merely through the mistakes of men like Baldwin, Chamberlain, Roosevelt and King (whose speeches of a few years, God knows, read like the best passages of Lewis Carroll) but through the ignorance of the ordinary person like you and particularly like me. The statesmen did what we wanted. Today we are getting precisely what we deserve.

In such a world, then, you would imagine that the most important single thing for the future would be the production of a generation which, if not more intelligent than we are, at least would have more knowledge than we had of the functions of government and the daily workings of democracy. Only if we can produce such a generation shall we have a remote chance of saving the world after the war.

**NOT PRODUCING IT**

It is my observation that we are not producing such a generation. My observation suggests that the studies of the young (lower than those of the university) equip them for the world rather worse than we were equipped. We were equipped, or so we thought, for a simpler world. The young of today must be equipped for a world infinitely more complicated. They must know about government 10 times as much as we know or democratic government is going to smash very rapidly.

Our educational system has never considered government, the state, the functions of society as one of its most important subjects. The citizen has been trained in everything but citizenship, on the assumption, apparently, that citizenship would take care of itself. Citizenship did not take care of itself. Citizenship collapsed when it came to the test of intelligence before this war, with the results now quite obvious to all.

**THE KERNEL**

A democracy which is to endure will have to make democracy the very kernel of the education system. The child must be taught what democracy means, what citizenship means, from the first day in school to the last, which will be none too long. We cannot continue to teach the child the beauties of the Latin language and the theories of Euclid and allow him to enter the world and the polling booth as ignorant of both as a primitive savage. We cannot assume that the child will learn at home or on the street how to take his part in the management of the state if the state is to survive. We cannot send our children forth totally ignorant of economic processes—that is to say, as ignorant as we are—if the economy of the world is to be maintained. We can expect nothing but total disaster if our children are not at least 10 times as well prepared for life as we were.

Why do we not so prepare the young is not quite clear. Mostly, I fancy, it is because we hate to admit that we have been complete failures. The ministers of education and their experts who made a fiasco of educating us are kept in office and maintained in their old groove because they will not admit failure. Thus, though we are living through a total revolution, our school system, with minor changes, is the same system which produced the generation now making such a final mess of the world.

If the young of matriculation age are a proper indication, and I think they are, the next generation, like ours, will not even know what democracy means, what parliamentary government means, what citizenship means. They will enter the world, as we did, expecting that somehow, sometime, everything will be all right. Some deus ex machina will appear, some fairy godmother, who will set the world right; whereas it is perfectly obvious that the citizen is the only instrument which can make things right in a democracy. The democracy never rises above its people and in so doing invariably topples to the ground.

We do not like to admit this fundamental truth. We do not like to admit that the mess of our country, of our system, is a mess of our making, not of Messrs. Baldwin, Chamberlain, Roosevelt and King. And so we continue to turn out of our schools the future governors of the land in a condition—in relation to the problems they must solve—much worse than the condition of the Cowichan Indians or the Hottentots of Africa. For the kind of life those unfortunate must lead they are giants of intellectuality, masters of society, deep students of life compared with the matriculation classes of our high schools. But we refuse to make any improvement lest, in teaching our children the truth, they ask forward questions about our old prejudices of party, religion and patriotism, lest they find out the truth about their parents.

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SUB-LIEUT. LAWRENCE J. WALLACE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leeming, Duncan, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Lois, to Sub-Lieutenant Lawrence J. Wallace, R.C.N.V.R., youngest son of Mrs. Mary E. Wallace, 2170 Beaver Street, Victoria, and the late Mr. John Wallace. The groom-elect is a graduate of the University of British Columbia and a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity. The wedding will take place in Duncan United Church April 23 at 8 p.m.

## Social and Personal

His Excellency the Governor-General and H.R.H. Princess Alice will arrive at Government House, Friday, to be the guests of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward. They will leave Victoria April 16 for Vancouver, to be the guests of Hon. E. W. Hamber and Mrs. Hamber at "Greencroft," Vancouver, and Minnekhada Ranch.

Miss Gladys Staverman, Osoyoos, B.C., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Staverman, Langford Lake.

Mrs. H. A. Gourlay and her daughter, of Banff, are guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Calvert, 1900 Belmont Avenue.

Miss Peggy Bartle, Alberni, is home for the school vacation, staying with her mother, Mrs. W. Bartle, Island Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Omdal and their two children arrived recently from Zeballos and are now residing at Langford.

Miss Barbara Muttlebury, Shasta Place, left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will be the guest of Miss Patricia McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Olmstead of Saskatoon, who have been spending the winter months at the Empress Hotel, left today for their home.

Miss Margaret Gray, Point Grey, Vancouver, is spending a few days in Langford, the guest of Miss Eileen Hincks, "Holmewood."

Mrs. Helen Rae, 2378 Rosario Street, accompanied by her daughter, Jean, and son, Tommy, has left to spend an indefinite period in Vernon, B.C.

Mrs. Lorne Rodgers, who with her two daughters, Lorna and Alice Marie, have been spending a few days in Vancouver, returned Monday to her home at Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Litchfield Bowden and their daughter, Miss Joyce Bowden, of Victoria, spent the Easter holidays with relatives at North Salt Spring Island.

Mr. Kenneth McKenzie, who spent the Eastend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McKenzie, at Langford, has returned to his forestry duties at Port Alberni.

Mrs. Alexander Lewis, wife of Group Captain A. Lewis of No. 1, A.N.S. at Rivers, Man., who has been visiting Mrs. Frederick C. Brand, Newport Avenue, for several weeks, will leave Thursday for her home on the prairie. Tuesday morning Mrs. Brand entertained at a farewell coffee party for her house guest.

A gay crowd of about 250 danced with evident enjoyment and participated in the fun and frolic of the third annual carnival and dance arranged by the Knights of Pythias, in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium. Features of the evening were the carnival, games of chance and skill, organized by the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Korassan, and the floor show staged by Florence Clough's dancing pupils. Prizes donated by 10 city firms were distributed. The committee in charge of arrangements included John Scoular (chairman), Mrs. T. Atkinson, Mrs. G. Douglas, Mrs. P. Jeeves, Mrs. L. Keiser, L. Parkin, B. Longhurst, G. Macham and B. Jones.

## U.S. Nutritionist Discourages Use Of Vitamin Pills

Good health and low medical costs are possible through well-chosen diets it was pointed out by Miss Jennie I. Rowntree of the School of Economics, University of Washington, Seattle, at the meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Duke of Kent Room, Empress Hotel, of the Institute for Public Health Workers under the auspices of the Provincial Board of Health. It was the opening day of a three-day session which will continue until Thursday afternoon, attracting public health nurses from all parts of British Columbia and full-time medical health officers.

Emphasizing the importance of intelligent buying and knowing the mineral and vitamin value of foods, Miss Rowntree stated that a family of three could be fed three meals a day with proper nourishment at a total cost of \$1 for food alone. This was made possible through the housewife's marriage to Mr. Claude Peden will take place Friday evening, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening, arranged by Mrs. George Knight and Miss Dorothy Barnes at the former's home, Cranmore Road. Corsage bouquets of pink carnations were presented to the bride-to-be and her mother, and, in addition, the bride-elect received many lovely gifts in a box decorated with mauve and yellow. Miss Dorothy Davies gave a monologue and Miss Dorothy Barnes played the piano during the evening. A Venetian lace cloth covered the supper table, which was centred with a silver bowl of daffodils and yellow candles in silver candlesticks. The invited guests included Mesdames S. Blaney, A. Blaney, F. Edwards, G. Barnes, F. Taylor, J. Grist, H. Bossom, R. Peden, C. Wrighesworth, J. Islip, S. Barr, Misses Sarah Turner, Norma Jones, Doreen Blaney, Joyce Knight, Delver Dobbie, Joyce Beecher, Maude Deane-Freeman, Sylvia Grist, Margaret Humphreys, Pearl Townsend, Roberta Peden, Dorothy Davies, Ruth Walker and Nonie Mannix.

Miss Betty Muny, whose marriage to Pte. Peter Bacon is to take place this month, was the guest of honor, when Mrs. H. O. English, Mrs. A. T. Hunkin and Mrs. C. N. Westwood entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. English, Dewdney Street, on Tuesday afternoon. On their arrival, Miss Muny and her mother were presented with corsage bouquets of pink carnations, sweet peas, and mauve stocks. The gifts were grouped on both sides of the fireplace which was all that was necessary for the individual's well-being. The value of knowledge of nutrition was five-fold: It increased sales resistance to vitamin vendors, increased the ability to stretch budgets, reduced medical costs, released the mind for fundamental life purposes and produced healthier progeny.

Miss Rowntree concluded with some practical points for health workers in dealing with the public, stressing the necessity to give people an immediate, interesting and practical outlet for the scientific information they get concerning their diet.

## CONCLUDE PROGRAM

Interesting facts for the public health program were given by Mr. J. D. B. Scott, director of the Division of Vital Statistics for B.C.

Miss Rowntree continued her discussion of nutrition this morning. Also giving illuminating ad-

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## Engagements

## EWALD-FLETCHER

Mr. and Mrs. L. Fletcher, 3750

Carey Road, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Margaret, to Leading Stoker Frederick Ewald, R.C.N., only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ewald, Edmonton, Alberta. The wedding will take place at the

Metropolitan Church on April 11 at 8:30 p.m.

## IDIENS-HALLEY

Mr. J. D. Halley of "Sandal," North Salt Spring Island, announces the engagement of his elder daughter, Elizabeth Mary (Betty) to Mr. Stanley Idiens of Comox, V.I. The wedding will take place quietly in Vancouver May 2.

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#### Orphanage Linen Shower May 7

The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home met Monday. It was decided to hold the annual linen shower May 7. Committees were appointed for receiving and serving. Mrs. Walter Luney will be in charge of the dining-room.

A beautiful 60-pound chocolate egg was given to the children as an Easter gift by Miss Atter, other kind friends donating eggs and buns, making it a pleasant holiday for the children in the Home.

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#### Girls Do Good Job On Fingerprints For R.C.M.P.

By PATRICIA CONNOLLEY  
OTTAWA (CP) — Tented arches, loops, whorls, double loops and accidentals—they're all part of the day's work to 12 young women added to the staff of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police finger print division.

As yet they can't be considered female "mounties" in scarlet tunics. But at least they are a dozen young girls clad in sweaters and skirts or simple dresses, who are "making a good job of a war job," says the sergeant in charge.

At their desks in the Justice Building they make sense out of the whorls and loops of inky finger-print impressions for classification purposes.

Technically termed "classifiers" they are replacing an entire staff of highly-trained R.C.M.P. men, who have been absorbed into the "searching" department of the Finger Print Bureau.

The bureau is the repository of most Canadian finger prints on record, and the work of the bureau has increased 100 per cent since the outbreak of war. Divided under two separate headings many thousands of prints are filed in the civil security finger-print section and the criminal section.

#### NOT ALL CRIME PRINTS

In prewar days the finger prints of criminals forwarded by police authorities from all parts of the Dominion comprised the main work of the bureau. Now, as well as approximately 600,000 criminal prints which have been sent in voluntarily for identification purposes by key workers in industry as well as those applying for positions in police departments, for visas and for work in other varieties of war jobs.

Classifying is the first step in registering prints in the bureau. Through a complicated method of calculating common characteristics the 10 smudgy prints of each set of impressions are brought to algebraic conclusions which have a definite meaning to experts.

Known as the Henry system there are nine standard patterns by which all prints are classified. These comprise five in the numerical section and four in the nonnumerical section.

The nonnumerical section is divided into the plain arch, tented arch, radial loop and whorl loop, and the numerical section has whorls, central pockets, lateral pockets, double loops and accidentals.

#### THEY KNOW CURVES

These mysterious terms which mean much to those who know the curves and other characteristics command to all finger prints. The core of centre of the print, deltas and ridges are examined, traced and counted. The classification formula is then brought into use.

Mrs. George Piercy, who recently arrived from the Far East and has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John S. Oliphant, the Upstands, left Tuesday afternoon for Vancouver, where she will be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. C. Langley, West 22nd Street.

Mrs. E. Arthur Riddell and her daughter, Carol Ann, left Vancouver Monday for Qualicum to spend a few days with Mrs. F. W. Riddell of Ottawa, before taking up residence in Victoria.

John Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Campbell, 1403 Ryan St., has left Victoria for Edmonton, where he will train for duties with the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. Allan H. Wyllie left for Vancouver Tuesday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Hargrave, for the next few days.

More than 200,000 needed freight cars will be constructed this year, using lumber wherever possible to conserve steel.

The monthly meeting of the committee was held at the Aged Women's Home Tuesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. L. Clay, in the chair. Routine business was attended to, and all accounts incurred for the month ordered paid. The committee were grateful for a legacy of \$250 left them in the will of the late Lady Barnard.

As in the case of many other institutions, the Home has to make the change from oil burners to coal stokers, owing to the war regulations requiring this change.

The ladies were very generously remembered by flowers and cards from their many friends. The flower stall of the Red Cross Gordon Head unit, Mrs. S. L. McMullin, sent large quantities of daffodils to the Home, which were distributed to the ladies and added to their enjoyment of the season.

Committee for the month will include Mrs. E. Bean, convener, Mrs. W. L. Clay, and Mrs. D. C. Sabiston.

The C.A.S.C. W.A. will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Y.W.C.A. New members and friends will be welcome. Tea will be served after the meeting.

Officers and members of First Spiritualist Church will hold a social evening Thursday at 8 in the Women's Institute Hall. Amusements, refreshments and music will be provided.



Photo by Leonard Holmes

PETTY OFFICER AND MRS. LLOYD GEORGE HOFFMAN, whose marriage took place April 3 at the Victoria Truth Centre. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennie, Pacific Avenue, Victoria, and the groom the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hoffman of Waterloo, Ontario. P.O. Hoffman is widely known as a skilled stilt skater.

#### WEDDINGS

##### HOWARD—McKEAN

The marriage of Julia Elizabeth (Bette) McLean, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McLean of 1142 Harwood Street, Vancouver, B.C., to Tristian Rex Carter Howard of Debert, N.S., took place quietly Saturday evening at St. Christopher's Chapel, Victoria, Chaplain George H. Hamilton officiating.

The bride, given away by her brother, Mr. Robert McLean, wore a street-length dress of dusky rose crepe with a blue hat trimmed with flowers and veil, matching blue accessories, and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

The bridesmaid, Miss Katherine Stapleton, of the Hampshire clothing branch of the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association, has written the club through Mrs. N. Kelly, Esquimalt Road, thanking them for their generous assistance. One case to which the gifts brought much comfort, was that of a woman who had been a long while in hospital with injuries due to an air raid in which three of her children were killed. Her husband is a soldier.

In addition to the parcels of clothing sent by the Royal Club through the Overseas League in Victoria, the members supply clothing for four adopted families in Liverpool. Work meetings are held each month when wool and materials are distributed to the members, and at the present time a contest is being held with a handsome afghan as the prize, and tickets are being sold by the club members. The proceeds will be used to purchase materials.

##### MCDONALD—SCROGIE

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Scroggie, 2710 Mt. Stephen Avenue, announced the marriage of their elder daughter, Margaret Douglas, to Mr. Wilbur Hodgson McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McDonald, Victoria. The marriage took place in Chicago on March 21.

After a honeymoon at Miami and Palm Beach, Fla., the happy couple will make their home in Chicago for the present.

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#### \$100 Gift Launches Air Fund Drive

Launched by the generous donation of a cheque for \$100, given this morning by Mrs. A. H. Foster Corbett, Linkless Avenue, the Air Services Silver Wings drive for funds to aid air force personnel, will be climaxed from April 19 to May 2 with a direct appeal to the public.

Plans for the drive were completed at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Air Services who are sponsoring the event. A special appeal will be made for the support of all relatives and friends of the R.C.A.F. personnel to make the drive a success. The funds will be used to further the auxiliary's work for men of Vancouver Island R.C.A.F. stations and for Vancouver Island men serving with the air force overseas. Members will sponsor individual benefits and a number of larger events during the two weeks.

Mrs. H. Blenkinsop was in the chair, and reports of the sewing convener, Mrs. W. D. Brewster, showed 20 garments turned over to Red Cross headquarters, and of Mrs. Lorne W. Campbell, knitting convener, 75 garments made during the month. Mrs. Noel Eaton reported that the furnishing of the living room at the Gordon Head Station was nearly completed. In response to the appeal made by Mrs. Fred Spencer for magazines, 283 were received at the meeting. Consignments of 300 cigarettes each had been sent to R.C.A.F. men overseas.

The next sewing meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Brewster, 3 Patio Court, San Carlos Avenue, April 20 at 2:30 p.m., and the knitting meeting at the home of Mrs. Campbell, 1960 Beach Drive, April 21, at 2:30 p.m.

Members of the Royal Club, Order of Amaranth, are among the Victorians who have been busily engaged in making and shipping clothing, bedsheets and similar gifts for the bombed-out people of Britain.

Miss Katherine Stapleton, of the Hampshire clothing branch of the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association, has written the club through Mrs. N. Kelly, Esquimalt Road, thanking them for their generous assistance.

Liberal Women's Forum will have a speaker at the monthly meeting Friday at headquarters at 2:45 p.m.

##### DAMAGE TERRIBLE

The Aspoco will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Gale,

1493 Esquimalt Road, on April 15, from 2:30 to 5:30.

The Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon. Mrs. M. R. Pearce, president, was in the chair, and conducted the devotional period. Reports were given of the activities of the war effort group. It was decided to give a donation to the Mrs. Winston Churchill Fund. At the close tea was served, hostesses being Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. W. Head and Mrs. S. G. Marlino.

First United Church Women's Association met Monday afternoon, Mrs. W. S. Dawson presiding. Mrs. A. S. Christie, convener of the air raid depot, spoke on the establishment of a depot in the gymnasium of the church and the supplies needed. Final plans were made for a silver tea to be held April 15 from 3 to 5 at the church. Each group will have charge of a table and there will be a musical program. Proceeds of the affair will be used for supplies for the air raid depot.

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## Move to Curb, Standardize Production of Cosmetics

**WASHINGTON** — Severe restriction of varieties and shades of lipstick, rouges, powders and cleansing creams, and possible elimination of hand lotions, toilet waters and luxury perfumes may not be far distant, War Production Board officials said today.

America's \$400,000,000-a-year cosmetic industry has been given until April 15 to provide the board with specific information as to how such standardization and elimination may be accomplished, together with estimates as to the number of cosmetic plants which may be converted to war industries.

Under consideration also is standardization of cosmetic packaging to free war-needed metals, particularly tin; this part of the plan may eliminate "sample sizes" of cosmetics, a practice which immensely complicates packaging production.

Behind the probable cosmetic restrictions is the need of war industries for alcohol and glycerine, widely used in cosmetics. There is further the fact that only eight of 75 so-called essential perfume oils are produced in this hemisphere.

### 5,000,000 GALLONS ALCOHOL

Estimates are that 5,000,000 gal-

lons of alcohol were consumed for cosmetics during the year ending last June.

Officials class lipstick, rouges, face powders and cleansing creams as "essential" cosmetics. Perfumes, particularly the luxury types, hand lotions and toilet waters are classed as "luxury" or "nonessential" cosmetics. The latter face the most severe restriction and standardization, even elimination.

It was pointed out there are as many as 30 varieties and shades of face powders now on the market. Not more than half-dozen are necessary, the board believes, and these could be standardized. The same applies to the other "essential" cosmetics. Hand lotions, toilet waters, perfumes contain prodigious amounts of war-needed alcohol. They are likely to be most severely restricted.

### PACKAGING SERIOUS

Equally serious is the problem of packaging cosmetics. Tinned containers have been widely used. Then manufacturers were told they could substitute iron "blackplate." But "blackplate" too is becoming scarce.

The approach to this problem will be standardization of packages and containers to use the

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minimum amount of metal. Many sizes will probably be eliminated.

Further, new scientific equipment may be withheld from cosmetic laboratories. A sample survey of cosmetic plants indicates that they will provide little equipment of value to the war effort, however.

### DIVIDENDS

Calgary and Edmonton Corporation, 5 cents, payable May 15 to shareholders of record April 15.

Edison was the first person to say "Hello" on the telephone—before that, people used to say "Are you ready to talk?"



**TRAVELERS' HEAD** — Thomas L. Sturgess, who was elected senior councillor of Victoria Council No. 434, United Commercial Travelers of America, at the annual meeting held recently. Other officers named were junior councillor, W. W. Walsh; past senior councillor, W. W. Martin; conductor, J. E. Neely; page, J. Fawcett; sentinel, L. M. Butler; secretary-treasurer, J. R. Noble; chaplain, W. M. Bayliss; executive committee, F. H. A. Norton, L. E. Evenden, W. S. Moore and P. A. Gibbs. The officers were installed by deputy grand councillor J. C. Dowds.

A. B. SAUNDERS: 804 Foul Bay Road, Victoria.

**THESE SHIRLEY PEOPLE**

As you gave space in your paper of Feb. 3 to a C.C.F. member's remarks regarding Shirley and myself will you kindly publish the following open letter to Mr. Gargrave?

"I am asking you to publicly withdraw certain untrue statements in Tuesday's Times where you are quoted as bringing before the Legislature A.R.P. inadequacy at Shirley, and saying that the chief A.R.P. warden is a man over 70 and stone deaf. It is not true that I am over 70. It will be some time before I reach 70. It is not true that I am stone deaf, although I have an up-to-date hearing aid. (People are not called stone blind because they wear glasses to aid impaired eye sight.)

"It is not true that at the last blackout the warden's house was the only one that wasn't blacked out. The first night of the last blackout caught many people unprepared with blinds, etc., even in the cities, and many did not hear of it at all that evening, some having no radios and some not turning them on, therefore a good percentage of Shirley houses were not blackout out at all. But on the next day I personally visited every house in Shirley and gave instructions for a complete blackout, and patrolled the road at night to see they were carried out, till the blackout was lifted.

"Telephone connection with A.R.P. headquarters at Sooke has been installed in my house. Eight residents, including myself, are taking a St. John Ambulance Association first aid course, three of them already hold first year's certificate for same. Stretcher, blankets, medical supplies have been on hand for some time. We have made plans to raise money to buy materials from which to make sheets, pillows, mattresses, splints and other things that may be needed. Even tons of sand are on hand for emergencies.

"Don't you think these preparations are adequate for the protection of settlement which is composed of 17 occupied homes, some empty cabins, a schoolhouse and a hall, at intervals along a seven-mile section of highway? A logging camp in adjoining district is included in Shirley for election purposes, but it has its own equipment and A.R.P. warden.

"Mexico is a charming country," Dr. Pearce said, and speakers at the astrophysical congress said Mexico stood beside the United States and Canada in resisting aggression.

"Mexico is a charming country," Dr. Pearce said. "The Mexicans have no demon of efficiency driving them on. The people are very friendly."

### Letters to The Editor

#### DANIEL AND MR. HOLDcroft

Mr. Holdcroft invites us to ignore the clear external and internal proof that the Book of Daniel is a product of the 2nd Century B.C. because chapter 9 predicts that in 483 years the Messiah would "present himself in Jerusalem as the King of Israel."

If such a prediction existed and was correct it could not alter the proven facts; but it is inaccurate and nonexistent Chapter 9 states that in the 1st year of Darius, namely 538 B.C., when Babylon was conquered (5: 29-31), Daniel computed that "the desolation of Jerusalem" would continue for 70 years, so he prayed to God to reduce the sentence and Gabriel was sent to announce that the 70 years would be reduced to 70 weeks during which Israel should "make reconciliation for iniquity" (verse 24) and after the lapse of 69 weeks "the Prince" would appear and end the "desolations" in the 70th week.

Clearly the promise is that the sentence will be reduced from 70 years to 70 weeks. Yet Mr. Holdcroft asks us to believe that 69 weeks means 483 years. The Hebrew equivalent for "week" is "seven," but when used as to time it means in "days" (not in months or years); just as in reference to time our word "century" always means 100 years, and this is plainly so in chapter 9 where "weeks" are contrasted with "years" and the 70-year punishment is reduced to one of 70 "weeks." Any honest writer who meant 483 years would say so.

Unfortunately also the period from 538 B.C. to 30 A.D. is not 483 years, but 568, so the "accurate and minute prediction" is incorrect to the tune of 85 years. Moreover, Daniel died before 535 B.C., so that the 483 years must expire before the middle of the 1st century B.C. Can you beat it?

Finally the Messiah of the writer of Daniel is not Jesus but Judas Maccabaeus who overthrew the Greek monarchy of Antiochus. The prediction as to the death of Antiochus (9:45), which is the only genuine prediction in Daniel, proved to be significantly incorrect.

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**THESE SHIRLEY PEOPLE**

As you gave space in your paper of Feb. 3 to a C.C.F. member's remarks regarding Shirley and myself will you kindly publish the following open letter to Mr. Gargrave?

"I am asking you to publicly withdraw certain untrue statements in Tuesday's Times where you are quoted as bringing before the Legislature A.R.P. inadequacy at Shirley, and saying that the chief A.R.P. warden is a man over 70 and stone deaf. It is not true that I am over 70. It will be some time before I reach 70. It is not true that I am stone deaf, although I have an up-to-date hearing aid. (People are not called stone blind because they wear glasses to aid impaired eye sight.)

"It is not true that at the last blackout the warden's house was the only one that wasn't blacked out.

"The first night of the last blackout caught many people unprepared with blinds, etc., even in the cities, and many did not hear of it at all that evening, some having no radios and some not turning them on, therefore a good percentage of Shirley houses were not blackout out at all. But on the next day I personally visited every house in Shirley and gave instructions for a complete blackout, and patrolled the road at night to see they were carried out, till the blackout was lifted.

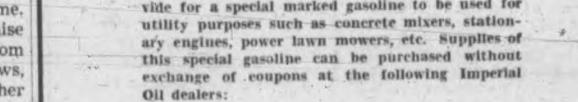
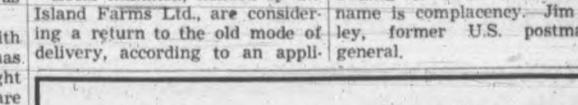
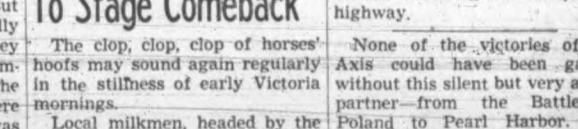
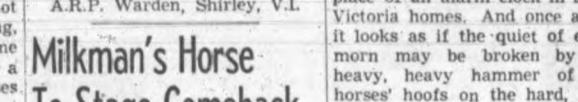
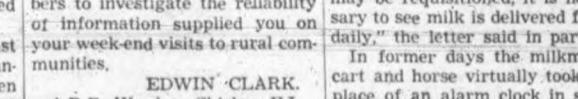
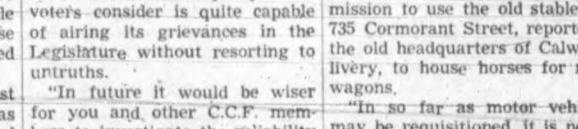
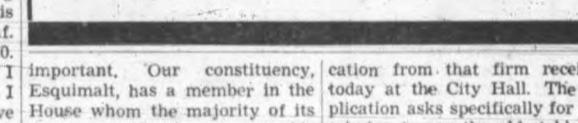
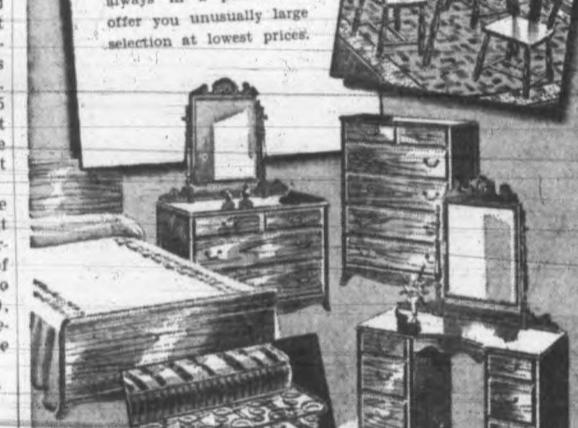
"Telephone connection with A.R.P. headquarters at Sooke has been installed in my house. Eight residents, including myself, are taking a St. John Ambulance Association first aid course, three of them already hold first year's certificate for same. Stretcher, blankets, medical supplies have been on hand for some time. We have made plans to raise money to buy materials from which to make sheets, pillows, mattresses, splints and other things that may be needed. Even tons of sand are on hand for emergencies.

"Don't you think these preparations are adequate for the protection of settlement which is composed of 17 occupied homes, some empty cabins, a schoolhouse and a hall, at intervals along a seven-mile section of highway? A logging camp in adjoining district is included in Shirley for election purposes, but it has its own equipment and A.R.P. warden.

"Mexico is a charming country," Dr. Pearce said, and speakers at the astrophysical congress said Mexico stood beside the United States and Canada in resisting aggression.

"Mexico is a charming country," Dr. Pearce said. "The Mexicans have no demon of efficiency driving them on. The people are very friendly."

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- (1) Single-breasted suits only will be made.
- (2) There will be no extra trousers.
- (3) Trousers will not have pleats or cuffs.

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The Junior Chamber of Commerce reasons it out like this:

"It was never more important to keep up or improve appearance than now. With the Empire at war, it might well seem opportune to let things slide a little. This is not the fair thing to do."

To those who have left the city on war service it is the responsibility of those who stay behind to maintain the standards of cleanliness and order for which Victoria is justly known."

Two and a half years of war have created shortages of certain materials. It is the duty of every citizen to preserve in their homes as well as possible materials, replacement of which will draw the stocks available for war industry.

It is also the duty of every citizen to see the most efficient use is made of essential products and services.

#### HEATING EFFICIENCY

Take your heating system for instance.

Because this is a war in which coal, coke, oil and gas will count as they have never counted before, you must assist in conserving these fuels. You must make certain that your heating system is free from flaws, that it operates at the highest efficiency.

This is an excellent time to check over the furnace, pipes, coils and flues, to make replacements where necessary.

Make sure that the heating coils are free from crustation, that the doors fit snugly, that the size and type of fuel now being used is the best suited to your furnace.

"Are the radiators in your home operating efficiently?"

"Are there any changes you should make in any part of your heating plant in order to increase general efficiency?"

These are all questions everyone should consider—the sooner the better. Don't leave it until the cold weather sets in next fall. Do it now while you don't need the furnace.

#### IS PLUMBING GOOD?

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## Mayor Endorses 'Clean-up Week'



MAYOR ANDREW MCGAVIN

Mayor Andrew McGavin has endorsed the Junior Chamber of Commerce drive for a cleaner city.

"I ask the citizens of Victoria," he said in an official statement endorsing "Clean-up, Paint-up Week," "to go to work to paint up and clean up our whole city."

"A great deal of work could be done, without any large expenditures, to brighten up homes, buildings and fences with a little paint. Gardens could be made more beautiful with all rubbish removed. The city is making provision for the removal of extra rubbish, free of charge."

"I hope the citizens will enter whole-heartedly into this annual clean-up week and do everything possible to make our city still more beautiful."

## Some Suggestions For Cleaning Up

Have the front lawn cut.  
Have the front and back steps painted.

Have the shingles repaired.  
Have the chimney swept.

Have the garden put into shape.  
Have the windows cleaned.

Have the old ashes cleaned out of the cellar.

Have the car cleaned.  
Have the old rubbish burned.

Have the carpets cleaned.  
Have the house painted.

Have the curtains and drapes washed.

Have the floors polished.

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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

VICTORIANS HAVE witnessed their final hockey game of the season. The sport made its swan song Monday-night with the Services All-Stars taking a bit of the cockiness out of Nanaimo's champion Clippers. For an exhibition game the boys sure laid on the wood and threw their best around in reckless abandon. The majority of the fans were agreeably surprised at the calibre of play.

Ice will start to melt out of the Arena following Sunday's private skating sessions. By this time next week the surface will have more the appearance of an indoor lake than a skating rink. Chatting to Barney Olson, president of the Arena, at Monday's game, we questioned him about prospects for next season. "Well, I figure to reopen the rink on Oct. 1, but there's just a chance it may be ready for fair week," he said. "Soon as the doors are closed on Sunday night I intend to get in a couple of days good sleep. Have worked harder this winter than for years but actually enjoyed becoming associated with a new type of business."

Sid Thomas, portly man behind the gun in the senior ball league, is walking around with a big grin these days. Tells us there are a lot of new ball players in town and expects the city loop to enjoy one of its greatest seasons in years. Apparently there is great rivalry between all the clubs to get a winner, but it is to be hoped that one club does not pack its line-up and make a runaway of the league. Such action ruined the loop a few years back and can do the same again. Fans like competition.

With hockey and skating out of the way, the box lacrosse mo-

guls will start getting their boys into serious training. Although having lost five or six of his last year's B.C. championship team, Ted Menzies is apparently not worrying a great deal. Talking to Menzies the other night he informed us the James Bay squad will be right in there again. "I have three or four new men lined up and feel sure they will make first-class replacements." When questioned on their identity, Menzies shut up like a clam. He's not going to be caught by a poaching opposition.

With the annual Kentucky Derby slated for Churchill Downs on May 2, here are some interesting facts and figures about favorites: Post-time favorites have been very consistent in the 67 derbies, which now belong to history. Thirty-three of the favorites have won, an average close to 50 per cent, 15 were second, four third, and 15 out of the money.

The shortest priced all-time favorite was Hillyard, held at 25c to \$1 to win the derby of 1878. He finished second. The shortest priced modern times was Bimblech, at 40c to \$1 to win in 1941. He ran second.

The shortest priced winner was 33c to \$1, and there were three of these—Hindoo (1881), Malma (1895) and Agile (1905). The longest priced winning favorite was Whirlaway in 1941. The payoff was \$2.90 for each \$1 invested. Post-time favorites in the last 15 Kentucky Derbies have done right well. Nine of them have stepped home on top, at prices ranging from 88c for each \$1 wagered on Johnstown, to the top figure of \$2.90 to \$1 against Whirlaway, the 1941 favorite. Of the other six, two ran second; the others out of the money.

**Baseball Forecast**

## Yankees Standout

**NEW YORK (AP)**—The major league clubs have been grooming themselves for six weeks in preparation for the opening of the baseball season Tuesday and in the American League, at least, no one has shown enough to make fans expect any real change from last year's standnings.

There were ties for two spots in 1941 and a total of only five games separated fourth and seventh places. This congestion probably will be cleared out, but the race in the junior league again shapes up on the familiar pattern of New York Yankees swooping to victory and the other seven clubs scrambling to make the best out of what is left.

The Red Sox looked better in spring training than they did a year ago. Manager Joe Cronin has found a real successor at shortstop in the person of little John Pesky and in spite of the retirement of Lefty Grove and the transfer of two other good southpaws to the army, the Boston pitching staff is satisfactory. A team that has Ted Williams, Jimmie Foxx, Jim Tabor and those other Red Soxers does not require perfect pitching.

The White Sox have the pitching, all right, but an uncertain infield and little power. They acquired Wally Moses during the winter, but he is not likely to bridge the gap of seven games which separated them from second place last season.

### Carpet Bowling

In the carpet bowling tournament at the Foresters' Hall, A.O.F., Robin Hood defeated Esquimalt in the knockout competition 19 to 17. In the triples, Thomas, Bridges and McMillan defeated Jackson, Bates and Colvin 16 to 14. Philbrook, Hutchinson and Peirce defeated Pannell, Greenhorns, and Cul 5 to 19.

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## Baseball Opening



San Francisco Seals and Los Angeles Angels of the Pacific Coast League usher in the 1942 baseball season at the Golden Gate city with the Seals winning 10 to 6. Here Seal third baseman Ted Jennings, left, and L. A. second sacker Roy Hughes, sliding, tangle in a play at third base as Angel manager "Jigger" Statz, coaching, watches the putout.

### Rainiers Win Two Straight

**CALGARY (CP)**—British Columbia's senior hockey champions—Kimberley Dynamiters—are heading along the same trail that six years ago led them to the Dominion crown.

The "surprise" squad that dropped out of the A.B.C. Senior League playoffs after the third match of a scheduled best-of-five semifinal round, ousted the Victoria Navy for the British Columbia title and then defeated Saskatoon Quakers, the Saskatchewan champions in the western Canada semifinal, Tuesday night scored a 2 to 1 victory over Port Arthur Bearcats in the first game of the western finals.

Second game of the best-of-five series will be played at Regina, Thursday, and the third will be at Port Arthur, Saturday. If additional games are necessary, they will be played at Port Arthur.

Credit for the triumph was due largely to the playing of Jackie Nash, former Port Arthur custodian, now netminder for Dynamiters, who turned in a sparkling performance, turning aside numerous drives that looked like sure goals.

Curly Hunt scored one of the winner's goals and passed to Loyal Swaney for the other. The Rainiers, winners of the Coast League race for the past three years and expected to repeat, had no trouble winning from San Diego, 7 to 1, in the southern city.

At Oakland, the San Francisco Seals, playing their second league game of the year, lost a close one when Hugh Luby of the Oaks batted out a sharp single in the ninth to score Johnny Rigney and win the game, 6 to 5.

In a tight game that went 11 innings, Sacramento, playing on home grounds, won from Hollister, 5 to 4.

Scores follow:

Portland	7	11	0
Los Angeles	4	11	1

Batteries-Liska, Speece (10)	10
Castro, Leovich (10); Heusser, Lynn (8); Davis (10)	10
Campbell	10

San Francisco	5	10	2
Oakland	6	10	2

Batteries-Jansen, Epperly (4)	4
O'Grodowski; Chelini and Glenn	4

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San Diego	1	7	3

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## Are Saanich Schools Overcrowded?

"There may be some overcrowding in Saanich schools," said Reeve E. C. Warren, "but no more so than in many other schools on the coast, as a result of war conditions. The opening of Craigflower School in September will alleviate this to a large extent."

Reeve Warren, who has served on the Saanich school board and was a member as late as the 1941 term, dealt with criticisms levelled at Saanich schools. The above answer was to the question, "How overcrowded are Saanich schools?"

As to the poorly-lighted basement room at Cloverdale School, Reeve Warren said:

"Cloverdale School was re-lighted two years ago on the survey, recommended by a B.C. lighting expert. At this time this supposed poorly-lighted room was not in use, but will compare in lighting with the average room in most schools. This so-called basement room, which is actually a ground floor room, is supposed to have a reputation for sickness among the pupils. This statement is refuted by the school doctor's records. One

"These are older schools," he answered, "built before Saanich had a water system, and lavatories added since, and no way of giving exit from the rooms to lavatories."

To the statement that some have no facilities at all but the old-fashioned outhouse, the reeve answered, "why not be fair and state that this is an old one-room school and also that modern conveniences are available in the modern school in the same grounds."

"What about the poor condition of playgrounds, which it is said could be fixed by a few loads of gravel?" was another question put to Mr. Warren.

"I ask the ratepayers," he answered, "to look over the grounds and compare them with other schools in other municipalities. You will find them no worse."

"Then, about complaints of furnaces in schools," Mr. Warren continued. "Three new furnaces were placed in schools this last two years, and in another the board was asked by the teachers to allow the stoves to remain as they were very satisfactory."

"In a junior room the floor says," was another statement made of a certain school.

"It is of course possible that a floor can be quite all right today and be sagging next week," he answered.

The question of stoves being lit at 7 in the morning at some schools and the temperature only 60 degrees at noon on frosty days, was next broached to Mr. Warren.

"I was on the board three and one half years," he answered, "and no junior room ever reported this condition. The school records will prove this."

### IN BAD SHAPE

In reference to Lake Hill School being closed and the suggestion

that it could relieve overcrowding, the reeve declared:

"This school has been closed for 10 or 12 years, and is in bad state of repair. The Saanich building inspector estimates it will cost \$6,700 to repair, and it is my opinion it will be still unsatisfactory."

The grounds are mostly all rock and cannot be made suitable as playing fields. It will be far cheaper to build a new school in a more ideal location than to foolishly spend money on the existing school."

### TRANSPORTATION

The statement that many children in the municipality had to walk two miles to school was next put forward.

To receive a grant from the government for transportation, he countered, "children must travel up to three miles. In municipality covering 55 square miles as Saanich does, and operating 15 schools, it is almost an impossible task to arrange schools so that some children don't have to walk."

"It is right that children going to school in the morning are picked up at Cadboro Bay at the early hour of 7:45." was another question asked the Saanich reeve.

"This is a most misleading statement," he declared. "Actually, the children are picked up at 8:20. This can be verified at the Vancouver Island Coach Lines."

On the matter of a scarcity of school supplies, Reeve Warren remarked:

"This is a new one on me. I was told on more than one occasion while on the board that there were now more and better supplies than before. I am sure this would be verified by the teachers."

As to the charge that Saanich school estimates continue to be cut, the reeve produced this set of figures, and said the charge was not borne out by facts.

1938 estimates \$136,155.07  
1939 estimates \$136,323.02  
1940 estimates \$139,523.94  
1941 estimates \$138,768.17  
1942 estimates \$167,684.07

Reeve Warren added: "If anyone boasts to me about the low cost of educating a child in Saanich I shall cry shame. I don't think anyone in public office would say this, it sounds like small-town politics to me."

To the people of Saanich I say this: If I have to make the choice of cutting educational cost or the cost of any other service in Saanich to win this war, I will cut to the bone. I ask you people whom I represent, of what use any of these services or privileges that we hold dear would be, if we must bow our heads to that beast and diabolical monster, Nazism?"

### Law Enforcement Probe

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—The New Westminster Police Commission will sit again tonight to hear further evidence from Alderman E. C. Mills, who charged at a sitting Tuesday night that prostitution and bootlegging were rife throughout the city because of laxity in law enforcement and weak administration of the police department.

### FOURSOMES VICTORS

In the mixed foursomes held at the Victoria Golf Club Monday Mr. and Mrs. A. S. G. Musgrave were the winners with a score of 91-19-72. W. B. Leach and Mrs. Birley finished runners-up with a net 75%.

Woodpeckers seldom injure trees, but destroy injurious tree insects.

## WORKED ONLY ONE WEEK IN TWO

### Sciatica Kept Him at Home

It is the wife who sends us this information about her husband's troubles. She writes: "For some time past, my husband has been able to work only one week in two, on account of sciatica. He suffered so much from it that he could scarcely move for the pain. We tried many things, but without result. Then we saw in the papers an account of the good results that had been obtained from Kruschen Salts, and we decided to give them a trial."

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Doctors estimate that one-half of civilized humanity suffers from partial constipation. This condition results in an unexpected residue of waste matter, which poisons the blood and produces sciatica, as well as many of the mystery aches and pains from which people suffer. Kruschen keeps the organs of elimination in perfect trim, so that every particle of poisonous waste material is expelled gently, regularly and completely.

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## One-man Fire Brigade



Eugene Hurtubise is the man; the contraption he invented is the fire-brigade (left). At the turn of a tap, water gushes from five fog nozzles and a hand hose in the suit. A hose to a watermain supplies the water, another to a machine brings in air. He spent two years making the firesuit. So heavy is the fire and waterproof suit it's



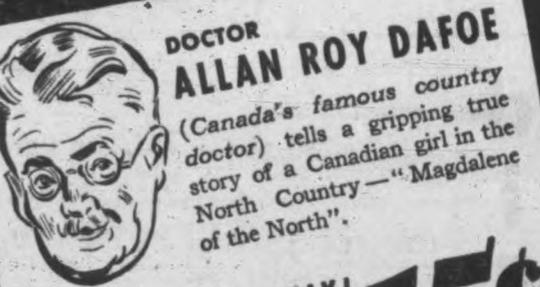
slipped over the head from a cord on an overhead pulley (left centre). Demonstrating it, the inventor walked into a raging inferno, had the flames out in a minute and a half. He swore he felt cold while standing in the midst of the fire. Rescuing people is the main idea, says Hurtubise, former Canadian heavyweight wrestling

champ. Here he lifts Emmett Kyle up to his own height—six foot, three (right centre). The firesuit in action, the flames meet their match (right). The nozzles are on the head, both shoulders, at back and front of the waist. The demonstration gave Hurtubise at least one idea for improving the suit—a windshield wiper for the face. Fire-fighting officials termed the show a complete success.

**LACROSSE PRACTICE**  
McLean's Bakery lacrosse club will hold its first workout for the coming season, Thursday night at 6:30, Victoria High School grounds. All last year's players and any interested in making the team this year are requested to turn out.

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Apart from these direct measures in regard to industrial controls, the German government has initiated economic policies in the form of price controls, with a

developed however that the framers of the law had overlooked a major source of the

age created by Allied action.



## Mill Rate Cut But Levy Rises

Victoria is in a position to collect more money in taxes this year than last, despite the fact the tax rate is one mill lower in 1942 than in 1941.

Increased assessments tell the story.

The levy under last year's 38 mill rate amounted to \$1,331,919. Under this year's 37 rate, the levy is \$1,336,350.

New construction accounts for the major boost in the improvement assessment which stands at \$27,339,440, against last year's \$26,246,810.

In the land section the taxable values for 1942 amount to \$18,346,902, against \$17,990,077. Doubling of assessments on pole lines and an increase in the number of properties removed from the reverted list through land department sales explains the rise this year.

## Fire at Langford

A fire yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the two-storey house occupied by Mrs. Lilian Kirk, Station Road, Langford, and owned by R. Fitzgerald of Cowichan. By the time the forestry department of Langford had arrived the house was a complete loss. It was partly covered by insurance.

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## TOWN TOPICS

Monthly meeting of Ward 3 Liberals will be held in Liberal Headquarters, Thursday night, at 8.

A permit for a \$3,000 four-room home at 1049 Craigdarroch Road was issued by the city building inspector's department today.

Quan Kee, a Chinese waiter in the Victoria Cafe, was fined \$10 and \$7.50 costs in city court today for selling whisky to an Indian.

In city police court today 11 motorists were fined \$2.50 each on parking convictions, one \$5 for failing to stop at a red light and one \$10 for speeding.

A meeting in the interests of the "Mission to Leper" will be held on Friday afternoon at 2.30 at 1012 Chamberlain Street. Speaker, Miss Gibbons.

Under President Fred Manning, members of the United Organizations Security Council, dealing with civilian defence, will meet April 13 in the Victoria Women's Institute Rooms, 635 Fort Street, across from the Times.

Robert Rowan was fined \$55 in city court today for dangerous driving, arising from an accident on March 14, when Rowan's auto was in a collision with a car driven by L.A.C. William Reid, R.A.F., on Johnson Street bridge.

Rev. H. D. Linnen of Toronto, lecturer and organizer for the British-Israel World Federation (Canada), will give the third of a series of three public lectures in the First Baptist Church tonight at 8. The subject will be "The British Throne, Past, Present and Future."

Officers of the Oak Bay A.R.P. this morning inspected the central control room of the city A.R.P. Inspector A. H. Bishop explained how equipment would function during an air raid. Command of A. S. G. Musgrave, Oak Bay municipal engineer and A.R.P. director, was: "It's fine. I only wish ours was as good."

Burning a cow to death and causing damage estimated at \$150, a fire burned to the ground a barn on the property of G. E. Atkinson, Darwin Road, Saanich, Tuesday night. The blaze broke out at 7.30 and it took Saanich firemen two hours to bring it under control. No insurance was carried on the building.

On the resignation through ill-health of G. A. Dyson, Mrs. S. M. Arnold has been elected president of the Old-Age Pensioners. S. W. Yates has resigned from the executive committee. George Wilbraham will take his place. John Jones has been elected vice-president. Further disbursement of \$2 each to 11 more members has been made.

G. Hamilton Harman, vice-president of the Old Boys' Association of Upper Canada College, Toronto, Ont., said today that although it did not appear in their respective obituary notices, the late Colonel A. W. R. Wilby and Major F. J. P. Gibson, whose deaths recently occurred, were both former pupils of Upper Canada College, Toronto.

The display was arranged by Judy Cunningham, Myrtle Thomson and Gertrude Lane, three of the more active members of the club.

## Display Clothes For Raid Babies

Pink, white and blue woolly garments which will clothe Britain's young raid sufferers went on display at the city school board offices today.

The clothes, a credit to any layette, are the product of Victoria High School's Junior Red Cross workers, the fruit of club activities of between 500 and 600 girls from the junior grades up to the matriculation class.

The workmanship would win laurels in senior handicraft exhibits. The quality of the goods is high. There are serviceable sweaters, panties, bonnets, scarfs, booties and toys, and they have that attractiveness which makes them something more than a conventional refugee's bundle.

For the armed services the girls have prepared 240 handkerchiefs, 96 face cloths, two afghans and a khaki scarf. To that are added children's goods, including 42 scarfs, a pair of red mittens, three caps, a pair of wristlets and nine sweaters.

For shipment to some of the babies of Britain are four flannelette nightgowns, two sleepers of the same material, 13 short flannelette jackets and two pairs of flannelette panties.

Among the knitted and crocheted articles for the very young as well as their older brothers and sisters are 11 pairs of mittens, 11 pairs of booties, seven pairs of long socks, 19 bonnets, 26 jackets, two pairs of panties, four dresses, four sets including dress, jacket, mittens, bonnets and booties.

S. J. Curry & Son have charge of funeral arrangements.

KITCHIN — Rev. Canon Ryall conducted funeral services at McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel Tuesday for Ernest Kitchin. Pallbearers were: J. B. Adams, A. F. Adams, E. C. McIntyre and A. J. Maynard. Cremation was at Royal Oak.

WALDERN — Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Louise Walder were conducted Tuesday at S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, Dr. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. Burial was at Royal Oak. Pallbearers were: J. M. Nesbitt, W. T. Almond, C. Dawley, William Head, R. Bury and C. L. Wilson.

KNOWLES — Funeral for Mrs. Florence Knowles was held Tuesday from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. William Allan officiating. Pallbearers: H. C. Seale, J. S. Humphries, M. P. Paine, J. O. Paine, B. L. Cox and A. Osman. Burial was at Colwood.

PAUL — Funeral services for Mrs. Theresa Paul were conducted at St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass was celebrated at 8 this morning. Interment was at Songhees Cemetery. Thomson Funeral Home had charge of arrangements. Pallbearers: A. Albany, J. Fraser, F. Joseph, A. J. Maynard, C. Smith officiating. Cremation was at Royal Oak.

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PELLAN — Mrs. Nellie Pellon, 1115 Princess Avenue, died Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital at the age of 65. Born in London, England, she had lived in Victoria eight years. Funeral services will be conducted at McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel at 2 Thursday afternoon, Rev. Canon Smith officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak.

GORE — Ven. Archdeacon Numns officiated Tuesday at funeral for Mrs. Mary Lambert Gore at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Cremation was at Royal Oak. Honorary pallbearers: Maj. C. M. Roberts, Maj. F. B. Barton, H. R. Pooley, K.C., W. C. Todd, M. R. Jamieson and T. Arnott; active pallbearers: Alex Gillespie, Gordon Mason, Richard Hoyle, Duncan Campbell, Reginald Burton and W. A. Newcombe.

MCDONALD — Miss Mary McDonald, age 76, formerly of Vancouver and a resident of Victoria for the past two years, died at her residence, 144 Wellington Avenue, Tuesday. Miss McDonald was born in Scotland. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. C. M. Robertson; one niece, Mrs. Tom Smellie, both of Victoria; also one grand-nephew, John R. Sacks. Funeral services will be conducted at Thomson Funeral Chapel at 2.30 Saturday. Dr. W. J. Sippel officiating. Interment, Colwood.

MILLS — Funeral services for John Llewellyn James Mills were held at McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel Tuesday. In attendance were representatives of the W.A. of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, Lieut. W. M. Jackson, R.C.N., and G. A. Renfrew, president of the Naval Veterans' Branch No. 48, of the Canadian Legion. Bugler S. J. Izon of H.M.C.S. Naden sounded Reveille and Last Post at the graveside. Pallbearers: Chief P.O. A. Gray, P.O. W. J. Morgan and P.O. H. F. Legatt of the Royal Canadian Navy, and J. T. Jones, A. Gagnon and S. A. Norman of the Naval Veterans. Interment at Naval Cemetery, Esquimalt.

Speaking of  
CARPETS  
and RUGS

Esquimalt Rate  
To Drop One Mill

All schools reported an increase in attendance at the annual rally of the Presbyterian Sunday Schools of Greater Victoria, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church.

The banner, which is presented for the largest increase in all branches, was won by the Esquimalt District 5C North — A practice of first aid bandaging will be held at McKenzie Avenue School tonight at 8 for those who are to take their examination April 13.

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### Announcements

DEATHS  
PELLAN—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Tuesday, April 7, 1942, Mrs. Helen Pellan, of 1115 Princess Street, aged 65 years, wife of Charles Pellan. The late Mrs. Pellan was born in London, England, and had resided in Victoria since 1934, for the last eight years.

The remains are resting at McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel, where funeral services will be conducted on Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Rev. N. E. Smith will officiate. Cremation will take place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

MCDONALD—Passed away at her residence, 144 Wellington Avenue, on Tuesday, April 7, 1942, Mary McDonald, in her 77th year. She was born in Scotland and a resident of Victoria for the last two years. The late Miss McDonald was born in Scotland. She is survived by her son, Mr. John McDonald, and his wife, Mrs. Tom McDonald, both of Victoria; also one grand-nephew, John R. McDonald.

Funeral services have been arranged to take place in the Thomson Funeral Chapel on Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. W. J. Sippel will officiate and interment will be in the Colwood Burial Park.

GRANT—After a short illness there passed away in this city an early hour this morning, April 7, 1942, Mr. Frank Grant, of 1042 St. Charles Street. The late Mr. Grant was born at Wallace, N.S., and had resided in this city for 14 years. He was a member of the Metropolitan United Church and his passing will be keenly felt by a very large number of people. For 44 years Mr. Grant had been associated with the David Spencer Co. Ltd., and died a member of the Knights of Columbus Lodge, I.O.O.F., No. 2. He leaves in sorrow his widow, Mary, at the family residence, St. Charles Street; his son, Mr. John Grant, 1042 St. Charles, San Francisco; his grandson, two brothers, Herbert, at Elk Lake, and John, at Victoria, British Columbia; also seven nephews and five nieces.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Metropolitan United Church. Rev. W. J. Sippel will officiate and interment will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. S. J. Curry & Son have charge of funeral arrangements.

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ANY FLORAL DESIGNS—LOWEST prices. N. B. Pollock, 1318 Douglas, G3318.

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#### 12x12 ft. for trellis, 40¢

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ROCKLAND SEMI-BUNGALOW — Situated on a cleared lot near Government House. Downstairs: living room, dining room and library with fireplaces, dining-room with sunroom off, sun porch; kitchen with oven, range, refrigerator, built-in cupboard; breakfast room; back porch; two-car garage. Whole property in good shape and quick possession can be had. \$9000

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EXTRA! OZZIE NELSON and His BAND!

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## New Proposals For Ship Workers

Further proposals leading to a settlement regarding working hours in the coast shipyards were framed Tuesday night at a joint conference of union representatives held in Vancouver.

The meeting was representative of all the shipyard locals of the Canadian Congress of Labor and the American Federation of Labor.

The proposals, which have been forwarded to the Minister of Labor at Ottawa for consideration are:

1. Operation of a six-day week with certain modifications of existing overtime rates.

2. Five-day week, followed by one day lay-off, providing a continuous program.

A. McAuslane, vice-president of the C.C.L., who arrived in Victoria this morning after attending the Vancouver meeting, announced the tenor of the decision reached by the joint conference.

### FOR LABOR COUNCIL

Mr. McAuslane announced a meeting will be held in the city this evening to form a Victoria Labor Council with jurisdiction over shipyard workers, foundry, restaurant and laundry workers and drivers. The council will receive its charter and officers will be appointed.

This will be the second C.C.L. labor council to be organized on Vancouver Island, the other being at Nanaimo, and embracing mine workers and loggers.

### Tragedy of War

OTTAWA (CP)—A few weeks ago, Mrs. Rolly Brousseau of Ottawa kissed her husband goodbye. In England, bundled up her six-months-old daughter and caught a ship for her Canadian home, where she thought she would find safety from the war for the baby.

The mother is now in Canada alone. The baby was buried at sea after it was smothered to death in its bunk one night when a coat belonging to one of Mrs. Brousseau's fellow passengers fell from its hook and covered the sleeping child.

Customs agents who went through Mrs. Brousseau's baggage heard her story when she stepped ashore.

Two years ago, Mrs. Brousseau followed her fiance to England where they were married. He is still in Britain, a sergeant in the Royal Canadian Army Pay Corps.

Man put the horse to work as long ago as 3,000 B.C.



**NEW SERVICE STARTS**—Yukon Southern Air Transport, division of the Canadian Pacific Air Lines, on April 1 inaugurated a schedule of six trips weekly out of Vancouver via Fort St. John to White Horse, Yukon, to connect at White Horse for Alaska. The new schedule, which is double the former service, connects at Vancouver with United Air Lines from Seattle and south, and at White Horse with Pan-American for Fairbanks and the Alaska interior. In the above photo as the Canadian Pacific plane took off from Vancouver to inaugurate the new daily, except Friday service, are, left to right: Chief Pilot Sheldon Luck, Mrs. Margaret Shirts of Tanacross, Alaska; T. C. Richards, whose father operates the famous White Horse Inn at White Horse, Yukon, and Miss Edna Young, stewardess.

### Macassar Sea Was Strewn With Bodies

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP)—Sea so heavily strewn with bodies that it "looked like land" after the desperate battle of Macassar Straits was described by Ensign Donald Chay, a 23-year-old navy flying veteran of the Pacific war zone from Cavite to Australia.

"It was in the observation plane sent out the day after the battle of the straits," he said. "It was out of the Far East like nobody's business," he declared.

"Just give us fighter planes and we can knock the Japs right out of the Far East like nobody's business," he declared.

"The sea below us looked like

land on which thousands of bodies were strewn. We could trace wreckage, and the desolation was one of complete horror.

"That was a completely American job—nobody else had anything to do with it. It was American ships, submarines and planes."

It was off Macassar that a great Japanese armada of troop transports and warships was riddled by United Nations attackers.

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Mr. Burns refers to the marked improvement in hog production, especially during the past two years and forecasts that heavier deliveries are in prospect in 1942.

The vessel has a 19-foot beam and is powered by a 135-horse power Atlas diesel engine. She will operate out of Sooke Harbor.

### Launch Fishpacker For Sooke Plant

Built for the Sooke Harbor Fishing and Packing Company Ltd., the 68-foot fishpacker C. F. Todd was launched Tuesday at Menchion's Shipyards, Vancouver.

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Mr. Burns points out that Britain's cheese requirements have made it necessary for western Canada to rely chiefly on its own production for the western market and with higher prices prevailing for cheese milk a substantial increase is anticipated in production. Mr. Burns also refers in his report to the undertaking of Canada to supply Britain with 1,000,000 cases of eggs and he states that this will be in dry form instead of in the shell.

"The packing industry has a series of problems under prevailing government rulings and regulations in connection with ceiling prices," states Mr. Burns, "with no maximum on prices to be paid the producer for agricultural products, with no control on farm labor wages and a probable increase in the packers' labor costs, a further narrowing of the present limited margin is certain to develop. The industry has been faced with a difficult problem since early this winter.

The basic period under price ceiling regulations, Sept. 15 to Oct. 11, 1941, occurred at a time when receipts were heavy and the lowest prices of the year prevailed.

At that time grass cattle are available and large numbers of lambs are being put on feed.

Through the winter and spring months prices on cattle, calves and lambs advanced substantially due to feeding costs.

The government is confronted with a serious problem in providing a reasonable solution in the problem of beef prices when faced with the realization they must be predicated on no additional cost to the ultimate consumer. In the meantime, the packing industry is providing beef for the Canadian market at a loss."

The report conveys the regrets of the company in the loss of R. D. Morrison, vice-president and managing director, who died suddenly last year. Reference is also made to the appointment of R. J. Dinning as executive vice-president and R. R. Furlong as general sales manager.

### Bonds

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

Argentine 4% 1971 Bid 72.00 Asked 78.50

B.C. Power 5% 1956 48.50 52.00

Chile 6% 1961 53.00 56.00

Colombia 4% 1961 43.50 46.00

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Uruguay 4% 1950 53.00 56.00

Above prices in New York.

Alberta 4% 1953 Bid 83.00 Asked 87.50

Do. 5% 1955 69.50 72.50

British Columbia 4% 1957 100.50 102.50

Do. 5% 1953 104.00 107.00

Manitoba 4% 1960 96.50

Montreal Brunswicker 4% 1961 102.50 105.50

Nova Scotia 4% 1952 105.50 108.50

Ontario 4% 1950 108.25 110.50

Quebec 4% 1952 101.50 103.50

Saskatchewan 4% 1951 88.00 91.50

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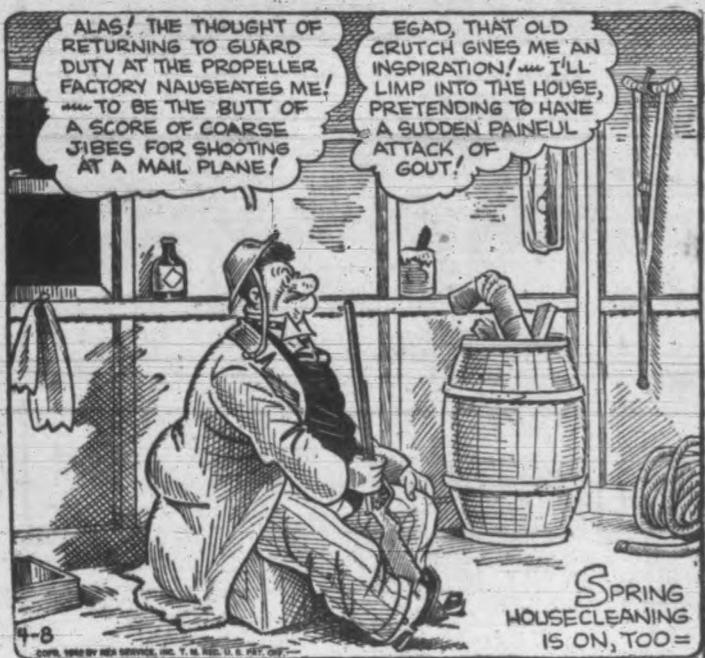
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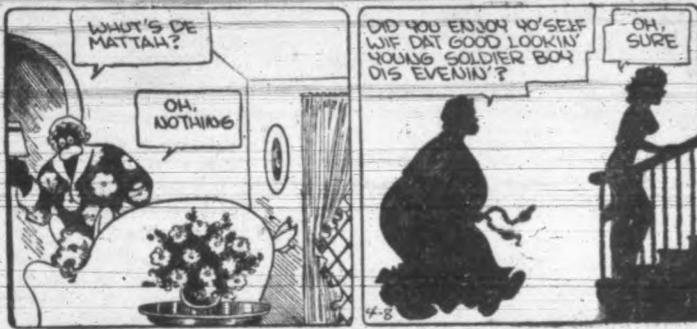
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Mr. and Mrs.



Alley Oop



Freckles and His Friends



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By Williams



By Martin



By Roy Crane



By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover



By V. T. Hamlin



By Merrill Blosser



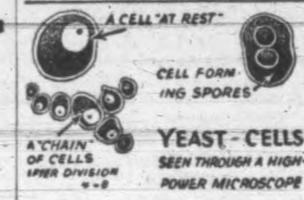
By George McManus

**Uncle Ray**

Yeast Cake Contains Millions of Tiny Plants

If you eat a cake of compressed yeast, you eat millions of tiny plants. The plants are among the smallest in the world. Each one has only a single cell.

Under the right conditions, yeast plants will multiply. A cell will produce a "bud," and that bud will divide from its parent, making two cells instead of one. The new cell will bud at a later time, and still another cell will be made. In that way a small amount of yeast can turn into a large amount.



CELL FORMING SPORES

A VARIETY OF CELLS AFTER DIVISION

In past times housewives often made their own yeast. They would make a batter such as this: A mixture of wheat flour, potato water, sugar and salt. The batter would be left in the open air, so that yeast germs floating in the air could be caught.

When yeast germs of the proper kind found their way to the batter, they would have something on which to "feed." Because of that, they would be able to increase in numbers, and the batter could be mixed with dough when bread was baked.

Yeast germs are spread widely through the air, but there is a trouble from the fact that there are hundreds of kinds. If a housewife did not get the right kinds in her batter, her bread would not be a success.

The modern method is to buy yeast cakes from a store. They can be obtained either in dry or moist form.

Dry yeast cakes are made of yeast mixed with corn meal or something else of the sort. Since they are dry when sold, they will keep for weeks without spoiling.

Moist yeast cakes should be kept cold after being purchased. Even in the ice box they will spoil before many days pass.

Moist yeast cakes, however, have their special advantage. They are ready for quick use. A housewife making bread does not need to go to so much trouble as with dry yeast.

An expert in the field of vitamins tells me that yeast is the best place known for B-vitamins, even better than liver. The B family of vitamins is very large, and several new values for them have been found in the past few years.

The old purpose of yeast is to make bread rise. It provides a leaven which makes dough more fit to eat when it is baked.

Most of the vitamin value of yeast is lost when bread is baked. Yet, in late times, ways have been found to give back much of the vitamin value to the finished loaf. Millions of families today are buying bread enriched with vitamin value which it should have.

(For general interest section of your scrapbook.)

**Better English**

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "He stated that he would go."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "dog"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Exzema, expanion, extravagant.

4. What does the word "disputation" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with *fat* that means "that which misleads the eye or mind?"

**ANSWERS**

- Say. "He said that he would go."
- Pronounce the *o* as in *loss*, not as in *of*.
- Eczema.
- Act of disputing; controversy; debate.
- "After a lengthy disputation on the subject, a vote was taken."
- Fallacy.

**HOROSCOPE**

APRIL 9

Good and evil appear balanced in the forecast for today. There may be criticism and petty quarrels among persons at work. Women may turn their attention to household duties.

Persons whose birthday it is have the augury of a year of good fortune. Children born on this day may be independent and courageous.

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD**

By William Ferguson

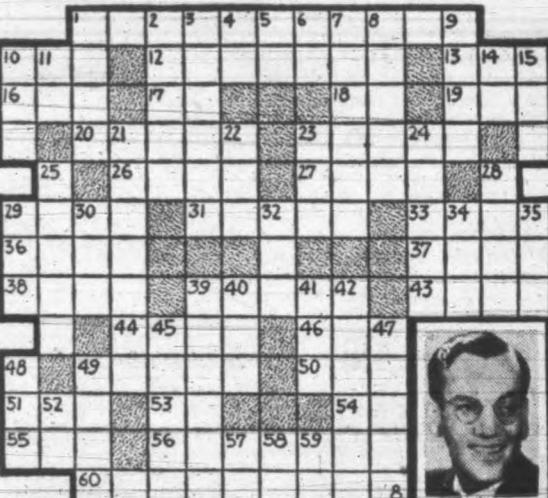
**Dorothy Dix's Letter Box**

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I have a friend who constantly harps on the idea that all men are philanderers and that no husband can be trusted. She will never leave her husband for even a week-end because she says that when the cat is away the mice will play. She tags her husband everywhere he goes as far as possible, but I don't think he looks very happy. Now, I never thought about not trusting my husband until this woman put the danger of leaving him into my head, but she has said so much about it and what he might do if I left him alone that I have gotten jittery and am thinking of giving up a three weeks' trip I was about to take to visit my relatives. I know I need the change and I want to go very badly, but I don't want to risk losing my husband either. What shall I do?

UNDECIDED.

ANSWER—Go along and have your visit; have a good time, come back rested and refreshed and with a lot of new and interesting things to tell your husband, and you will have a second honeymoon. Nothing does so much to put pep into domestic life as for a husband and wife to be parted occasionally. A three weeks' trip, such as you are contemplating, would save many a divorce. For, no matter how much a man and woman may love each other, no matter how congenial they are, if they are together day after day, week after week, month after month, seeing the same people, doing the same things, they are bound to bore each other in the end. They have talked out. Each knows what the other is going to say before he or she says it, and they sit up in dead silence, or else talk to fighting and quarreling just to put a little spice into the conversation.

DOROTHY DIX.

**Today's Crossword Puzzle**

**HORIZONTAL**

- 50 Impost.
- 51 Pair.
- 52 Dutch (abbr.).
- 53 Street (abbr.).
- 54 Myself.
- 55 Long fish.
- 56 Lighter.
- 57 Mourn for.
- 58 South American.
- 59 Hen's product.
- 60 Impost.
- 61 Cloth measure.
- 62 Type of light.
- 63 Stimulate.
- 64 Theatre guide.
- 65 Plays music.
- 66 Book part.
- 67 Resort.
- 68 Insect.
- 69 Lyric poem.
- 70 Crimson.
- 71 Sufficient.
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**A.R.P. Wardens  
Not Canvassing**

Victoria's district A.R.P. wardens favor plans to raise \$100,000 for civilian protection needs—mainly equipment—but are not prepared to make a house-to-house canvass to get the money.

Spokesmen for the wardens who met the City Council in committee Tuesday were quite definite on that point.

Inspector A. H. Bishop, A.R.P. chief, explained the city's proposal for raising the fund. Mayor McGavin outlined certain details, explaining the Civic Federation of Greater Victoria had undertaken arrangements for a tag day May 9, that the city proposed to insert advertisements in the local papers calling for donations, that aldermen had been requested to canvass districts with A.R.P. wardens and that the city would send out circular letters to each householder.

From the returns he received for the Lord Mayor's Fund, mainly from people of modest means, the mayor thought the response for the A.R.P. fund would be good.

Lt.-Col. A. E. Harris, Victoria West district warden, asked why the city could not raise the funds through taxation and why it should be necessary for wardens to go out on a canvass.

**\$40,000 EARMARKED**

Mayor McGavin said the mill rate had been fixed and that \$40,000 had been placed in the contingency fund for A.R.P. needs.

For the time being, Inspector Bishop said, the organization had to appeal to the people for funds to buy equipment for the protection of the people. The money, he said, would be used for nothing but equipment. The drive had to be staged before the Red Cross made its appeal, the inspector added.

E. Parsons supported Col. Harris on the stand wardens should not have to make a house-to-house collection. M. B. Wellburn took the same position, as did other wardens.

Lt.-Gen. E. C. Ashton told the mayor and aldermen his wardens were discouraged. They had heard continually about equipment "that's coming and coming but never arrives." His people, he said, had hoped for federal action. Failing that, they had looked for provincial assistance and especially aid from the city. The city, he added, was strongly criticized for not coming forward.

with the required money raised through taxes.

Alderman J. A. Worthington suggested bridge parties and, without being specific, "101 ways to raise money."

**WANTED HIGHER RATE**

Alderman B. J. Gadsden reminded the council he had stood for maintenance of a 38 mill rate and allocation of one mill to A.R.P. needs.

The mayor replied the city had put in its contingency fund for that purpose more than one mill would raise this year.

Col. Harris asked if \$100,000 were raised would the city be able to secure the equipment. He understood some of it was not available.

Inspector Bishop outlined items which could be secured if funds were available.

"Most of this can be bought if we get the cash," he said.

The inspector reported the Women's Canadian Club was voting a percentage of its take from a function in the near future towards the A.R.P. fund and that Spencer's Ladies' Auxiliary to the War Aid Volunteers would put on a dance to raise money.

A warden said a pipe band could be secured to raise funds through a concert.



**BUDDY ROGERS**, Mary Pickford's band-leading husband, goes from the air waves to the air corps, volunteering as a navy flying instructor. In Los Angeles he passes depth perception test under watchful eye of Dr. Oliver Eeves.

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**ACTUAL SIZE**

**RUBBER STRIKE ENDS**

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strike in a 440-worker fabricating department of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. ended today, restoring the flow of rubberized material to several thousand Goodyear employees producing war products. The sit-down, involving pay rates, lasted about 12 hours. Conditions of the resumption were not announced.

**Need New Front  
For 1942 Victory  
Russians Believe**

Embattled Russia, preparing to meet Hitler's threatened spring onslaught and to launch one of her own, thinks in the opinion of Dr. Anne Louise Strong, Seattle-born Soviet expert, that world strategy calls for the immediate establishment of a second European front. She expressed this opinion last night to a public meeting that filled nearly every seat in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

Russia, said Dr. Strong, who appeared here under the auspices of the Russian-British Alliance Society, does not want the second front for her own aid alone but because she believes it is the only way in which the combination of all aggressor countries can be beaten this year.

**JAPS ARE STRONG**

She said final victory over Japan, if all the weight of the western democracies is thrown against Nippon alone, cannot be achieved for several years. Japan already has oil fields and other resources following her conquest of the Indies and is in possession of such Pacific strongholds as Singapore and Hongkong from which she will not be dislodged except at heavy cost.

But if Hitler is beaten in Europe, as Russia believes he can be this year, the entire production of Europe can be brought to bear against Japan.

Since 1931 when the war between Axis and the free countries began with the Japanese attack on Manchuria, there had been many unpleasant surprises and one pleasant one, Russia's resistance to the German drive and her counter-attacks this winter.

In giving the reasons for the Russian triumph, Dr. Strong said she would break some illusions about socialism in Russia and what westerners believed was Russian inefficiency.

When Germany attacked Russia, Stalin knew that the German army was superior to that of the Soviet, but unlike Tukachevsky, traitorous general, Stalin added to the strength of the Russian army that of the Russian people who had been trained and educated to take their part in the war.

**FACTORIES MOVED**

Dr. Strong traced the result of the winter campaign on the eastern front and explained how whole factories were moved eastward in advance of the retreating army and of how those left behind constituted the famous guerrilla forces.

"How far can Russia go this spring?" she said. "It will not be easy going. Hitler has been driven out of many strongholds and has lost some territory but he still retains much Russian land and many important Russian centres and all the might and manpower of Russia and the aid of the Allies will be needed if victory is to be won."

It is certain, she added, that Russia, whatever Hitler does, will keep the initiative, at almost any cost, if only in order to deter Japan from attack in the rear.

For Canada, Britain and the United States she urged no idle armies and no idle civilians this spring. It was not enough for the Allies to be united internally, they must be united with and understand each other. The Axis countries, she said, can never act in unison unless they are conquering, while the United Nations can; but suspicion must be overcome to the end, first of achieving victory in the war and then of maintaining a stable world.

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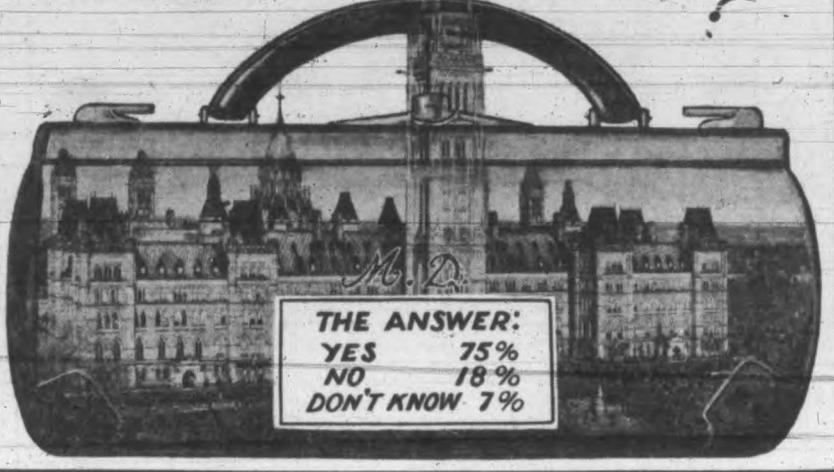
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**Gallup Poll**

# Majority of Voters Favor National Plan for Medical Care

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TORONTO—If one of the innovations which these changing times leaves in its wake in Canada is a national, government-sponsored plan of medical care and hospitalization for the sick, between seven and eight out of every 10 Canadians, are all for it.

The Canadian Institute of Public Opinion (Gallup Poll) has been measuring the public's attitude towards the idea of "socialized" or state medicine, and has found tremendous popular support for it.

One of the questions used in this survey was worded like this:

"If the government should start a national health plan, would you be willing to pay a small part of your (or your family's) income every month so that you and your family would receive medical and hospital care whenever you needed it?"

This question was put to all types of Canadians, men, women, rich and poor, from coast to coast, and here is the national answer:

Would be willing	75%
Would not be willing	18%
Undecided	7%

While the idea of a govern-

ment-managed medical system receives a majority support in every province in the Dominion, the size of the majority varies from province to province. In the Maritimes, for example, slightly over seven in every 10 persons was in favor. In Quebec, slightly more than five out of every 10 approved. In all other provinces, approval was voiced by more than eight of every 10 persons.

**AGE GROUPS DIFFER**

The survey indicates an interesting variation in the different age groups. The following table shows how such a plan appears to appeal more to the younger generation of voting Canadian citizens than it does to the older, although all age groups show a majority in favor:

Age	Yes	No	Undecided
%	%	%	
21-29	79	14	7
30-39	78	16	6
40-49	75	17	8
50-59	75	18	7
Over 60	68	25	7

Another interesting fact is that there is little significant difference between the way the various economic groups view the proposal. In other words, the wealthy man is as much in favor of such a plan as the poor man:

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## Sailor Enjoys Home Liberty

**RICHARD WILLIAMS**

Home from the sea on leave is Petty Officer Richard Williams, R.C.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams, 1213 Maywood.

He has many exciting adventures and experiences to tell his relatives and friends—stories of the torpedoing of H.M.C.S. Saguenay and blitzes on Liverpool and London, meetings for the first time with relatives in England, including his maternal grandmother in Leeds.

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## Brain Waves Continue 15 Minutes After Death

By JANE STAFFORD

BOSTON—Brain waves go on after death.

A four-man team of research scientists announced this discovery at the meeting here of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology. The scientists do not think this is a sign that the brain activity of conscious, thinking variety continues after death. But the experiments may lead to a greater knowledge of how nervous tissue like the brain functions.

The experiments were reported by Dr. Morton A. Rubin, Dr. Hebbel E. Hoff, Dr. Alexander W. Winkler and Dr. Paul K. Smith, of the Worcester Mass., State Hospital and Yale University School of Medicine.

Brain waves are the records of electric currents discharged during brain activity, which scientists have been using in the study of such disorders as epilepsy. They were helped, when first discovered, as being likely to throw as much light on brain functioning as the more familiar

plunged about in oily waters and swallowed plenty. This gave him stomach trouble and he has just undergone a major operation in Montreal.

The Saguenay made a British port under her own steam after she was struck. Twenty-one sailors were killed and 18 wounded. Williams was hurt in the leg and spent three weeks in a Liverpool hospital.

"It's swell," he replied when asked how he liked the navy. "I love the sea and I want to get back. I've been ashore a year now and that's too long."

In two weeks he will go to Ottawa for a month's course and then he hopes he will be posted to a ship.

Williams was born in Victoria and went to St. Louis College. He received his first sea training with the Rainbow Sea Cadet

Corps. His older brother, John, is navigating officer on a Canadian minesweeper.

**Tuberculous Veterans**

The Tuberculous Veterans' Post of the Canadian Legion met in the association rooms Tuesday, with the president, R. Smith, in the chair. Comrade C. H. Bull, provincial representative of all T.V.A. branches within the province, gave an interesting talk on pensions, hospitalization and other matters affecting T.B. and allied chest disabled veterans. He also dealt with the welfare of those now serving during the present conflict.

Comrade E. V. Robley was named delegate to the forthcoming Canadian Legion Dominion convention in Winnipeg May 23.

Williams' insignia on his left sleeve.

Williams was in the forepeak

of Saguenay when a torpedo struck. With other sailors he

was able to get out of the hold.

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